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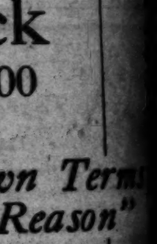

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SOUTHLAND FACES FLOOD CONDITIONS

Fear Chaos in China; Peking Regime Totters

RMS DELEGATES RE WEAKENED BY ESIGNING CABINET

BY PHILIP KINSLEY.
[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SHINGTON, Dec. 19.—The fall of the Pe- Cabinet, confirmation of which was received by the Chinese delegation in Washington, has ly weakened the cause of China in the con- Members of the delegation declare it will ue on, but the anti-Peking group look upon beginning of the end of the northern regime.

Gen. Chang Tso-lin, Governor of Manchuria, former bandit, has brought about the change for reasons that are dark, and Dr. W. W. Yen, Foreign Minister, is acting as the new Premier. In a statement today the delegation said:

"Gen Chang Tso-lin in Manchuria naturally considers his region most likely to be affected by the decisions of the Washington conference. The Japanese delegation has delayed and postponed the deliberations with regard to China. It is his feeling that the interests in Manchuria might be bartered away, since the Japanese refuse to accept the twenty-one demands affecting the future of the province.

"SCRAP OF PAPER."

"It must be recalled that the twenty-one demands were presented with an ultimatum, but since it affects the territorial and administrative autonomy of the Chinese government, unless the demands are cancelled the principles adopted by the Washington conference amount to nothing more than a scrap of paper.

"In an earnest attempt to get the co-operation of all of the leaders in China, Gen. Chang desires to unite all the forces of the country. There is a very strong likelihood that the other leaders will rally to the call of patriotism."

It is stated that strong men such as Gen. Tsao Kun, Gen. Wu Pei Fu and Dr. Sun Yat Sen "have been fully convinced of the necessity to co-operate and work together."

ARMY MOVING NORTH.

That Dr. Sun has any intention of supporting the Peking war lord is denied by his representative here, Ma Soo. Dr. Sun sent a cable to Washington today stating that he was with his army of 150,000 in Hunan province, moving north toward Wu Pei Fu lines. Mr. Ma said.

"The situation in Peking is growing from bad to worse. The only solution of the situation is China at the present time is by the powers withdrawing recognition from the Peking government. The Chinese people have no respect for it.

"In claiming the support of Dr. Sun, the delegation knows it is not telling the truth. It is merely one of the many futile attempts to deceive the American people. Dr. Sun has not given his support to the Peking delegation and cannot support any delegation that has not the courage to insist upon the unconditional restoration of Shantung and the abrogation of the twenty-one demands which seek to reduce China to a state of vassalage to Japan. It is pathetic to see the Peking delegation casting about for

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EXPECT FRANCE TO YIELD ON HER NAVAL DEMANDS.

Believe Briand Will Agree Approximately to Hughes Figures Delicate Situation Seems Ended.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—France has taken steps to reconcile her views on the naval-ratio problem with those of the other powers, but her precise attitude—now the crucial issue of the arms negotiations—remains in doubt.

Unofficial advices from abroad today indicated Premier Briand had decided to accept the American proposal for a French capital-ship fleet of 175,000 tons in place of the 350,000-ton plan drawn by the French delegation.

Secretary Hughes, as chairman of the Arms Conference, also received from the Premier a communication construed at the State Department as meaning that the French group had been directed to accede to the American program.

NOT FLAT ACCEPTANCE.

But the French delegates did not so construe a long message of instructions received from the Premier. They described it as advising them to go as far toward meeting the American views as they could without sacrifice of French national interests. It was said not to embody a specific decision nor to make reference to any specific tonnage plan.

Secretary Hughes and Albert Sarraut, head of the French delegation, held a long conference late today. It was said the conversations were proceeding and there was a good expectation of ultimate agreement.

In other quarters, also, there was apparent a distinct note of optimism, despite the day's mystifying developments. Among American officials an almost unanimous belief prevailed that France eventually would take the American figure for her capital-ship allotment, even though she insisted on an increase of submarine tonnage as an offset.

AGREEMENT SEEMED NEAR.

For the moment, the negotiations are concerned solely with capital ships, and to many delegates, a five-power agreement on that subject does not seem far away.

It is pointed out by the Americans that even an effort by the French to adopt a conciliatory attitude toward the views of the United States may be regarded as a long step toward settlement.

The American position has been that ratios should be adjusted on the basis of existing strength, while the 350,000 tons proposal of the French was predicated on the principle of national needs. So if the French Premier has done nothing more than approve the American "status quo" principle, he has contributed a great deal, in the view of American officials, toward final agreement.

The message to Secretary Hughes was a sequel to last

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TO CLEAR UP OKLAHOMA.

Crime Carnival Intolerable.

Murders Resulting from Bootlegging Drives Citizens to Action.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

ARDMORE (Okla.) Dec. 19.—Citizens of Carter county are demanding relief from crime, bootlegging and laxity of law enforcement. At a mass meeting this afternoon a committee of twenty-five men were appointed to call on Gov. Robertson and explain to him conditions which have become intolerable.

They will call on Atty.-Gen. Freeling and ask prosecution of officers who have failed to do their duty upon findings of Asst. Atty.-Gen. Fulton. Another committee called upon Sheriff Buck Garrett and County Attorney James H. Mathers with a request that the sixteen men now facing a charge of murder growing out of the tragedy at Wilson, near here, last Thursday midnight, be advised of their rights and be permitted to confer with whatever attorneys they might select.

HINGE ON TRIPLE SLAYING.

All of this action hinges on a triple slaying at the little oil field town Thursday night when two auto loads of masked men called at the home of Joe Carrol, alleged bootlegger, and shot him dead. John Smith, close friend of Carroll, and said to have been used as a decoy of the masked men, was mortally wounded. C. G. Sims, Ardmore plain clothes man, was found at an alleged gathering place of the Ku Klux Klan near Joiner City, in the oil field, Friday morning by a posse headed by Sheriff Garrett. His body was bullet-riddled, and clothed in which officers say is the Klan "uniform" and wearing a mask. Several other masks were found near his body.

Saturday a number of arrests were made, among them several men who are said to have been with the masked party.

Sunday the long arm of the law reached into the homes of

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PRECIPITATION FIGURES.

Precipitation at various Southern California points up to last night was as follows:

Station—	24 hours.	Storm.	Season.	Last year.
Los Angeles	1.77	2.28	2.54	2.34
Santa Ana	.58	2.32	2.37	2.15
Anaheim	.49	1.41	2.08	2.07
Fullerton	.51	1.79	2.09	2.32
Newport Harbor	.46	1.06	2.22	2.12
Huntington Beach	.47	1.24	2.12	2.19
Orange	.51	2.13	2.45	1.85
Yucaipa	.67	3.15	5.59	4.29
Glendale	1.35	4.25	5.23	2.00
Eagle Rock city	1.68	2.60	3.35	3.17
Monrovia	1.15	2.25	4.77	2.65
Redlands	.49	1.50	3.90	2.80
Santa Monica	.74	1.28	1.84	2.85
La Habra	.90	1.75	3.26	1.33
Yorba Linda	.91	1.86	3.37	1.29
Long Beach	.80	1.15	2.48	1.92
Santa Paula	3.05	4.25	4.76	3.49
Ontario	1.30	2.56	3.39	4.15
Corona	1.94	3.00	4.19	2.36
Ventura	2.12	2.12	2.86	...
Banning	2.10	3.10	6.59	3.57
San Luis Obispo	.64	.83	1.35	6.45
Santa Barbara	1.20	1.51	2.99	2.47
Painted Cave	2.05	3.25	4.10	6.20
Santa Maria	.80	.85	.90	1.95
Lompoc	.85	1.00	1.20	.65
Bakersfield	.61	.61	1.91	1.21
Whittier	1.79	2.30	4.42	2.20
Camarillo	2.48	3.26	4.64	...
Oxnard	2.84	2.74	3.30	2.21
Van Nuys	2.42	2.87	4.90	2.22
Los Angeles Harbor	1.05	1.90	3.24	2.06
Pomona	1.59	2.89	7.00	3.25
Redondo Beach	.73	1.02	2.54	1.92
San Bernardino	1.04	2.85	5.21	3.53
Downey	1.13	2.20	2.10	2.75
Pasadena	2.40	3.20	...	2.80
Escondido	1.72	3.37	6.34	2.02
Glendora	2.53	3.65	5.20	5.04
Corcoran	.61	.91	.85	1.99
Porterville	.97	1.34	2.16	2.34
Hemet	.51	2.26	4.60	1.55
San Diego	1.32	2.32	4.53	.93

TAKE SHOTS AT DE VALERA.

"Safe in America and Refused to Accept Burdens," Say Griffith and Collins in Addresses.

BY JOHN STEELE.
[BY CABLE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

DUBLIN, Dec. 19.—A battle royal was waged today in the public session of Dail Eireann for the soul and body of Ireland. It was a battle of personalities, and never were more apparent the differences in Irishmen and Irish temperaments than today.

The men who spoke for ratification of the treaty were plain, cold business-like men, who marshaled their facts with no betrayal of passion though the fire of patriotism burned as freely if not as brightly, as in the souls of the anti-ratificationists, who displayed passion, fire, anger and hatred.

Let me say in the beginning this legislature of farmers and men from small country towns has whipped itself into shape in a wonderful manner in its week of secret sessions. The first open session of Dail was a trial to both the speakers and spectators. Today it was an orderly assembly.

DE VALERA INTERRUPTS.

The only interruption came from Eamonn de Valera, who insisted once or twice in interposing when Arthur Griffith was speaking, and who seems unable to forget that he is a political leader and no longer a schoolmaster.

The session opened a half hour later than the appointed time. The leaders lined up as before, Eamonn de Valera, Austin Stack and Cathal Brugha, on the front bench to the left of the speaker. On the other side were Arthur Griffith, Michael Collins and Robert

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SANTA FE BRIDGE IS WRECKED; TRAINS FORCED TO DETOUR

All Southern California faced flood conditions last night when rain which has been falling since Saturday night continued without interruption, and Weather Bureau officials expressed the opinion that there might be no let-up today.

Railroad bridges went out, washouts tied up eastbound traffic over two lines and rivers and creeks between this city and Redlands were rapidly approaching flood stage. Reports from San Bernardino last night were to the effect that landslides and washouts on the Santa Fe in Cajon Pass had seriously delayed train service on main lines east.

It was reported by a Santa Fe official that landslides in Cajon Pass had interfered with traffic, but that the line was cleared last night and trains again running. All train orders were for careful operation at reduced speed on curves and in flooded areas. Trains due here early yesterday were arriving late in the night.

A few trains due in early yesterday on the Union Pacific and Southern Pacific from the East crept in after dark last night. At El Monte the water in San Gabriel River was running over both ends of the Southern Pacific bridge at 6 p.m., and Espee trains were detouring in over the Salt Lake line. Santa Fe trains from Riverside were brought in via Fullerton.

Five miles east of Riverside the middle span of the Santa Fe main line bridge over the San Gabriel was sagging down and trains could not cross. This bridge is a new one. At San Bernardino flood waters from Lytle Creek swept into the southwest part of the city and cut off gas service completely. Work recently done on the new Lytle Creek bridge is said to have been swept away.

AT FLOOD STAGE.

Last night it was reported that all mountain streams between Ventura and San Bernardino were carrying great quantities of storm water, and considerable damage was being done to property adjacent to them. The indications last night were that if the rain continues much trouble from the San Gabriel and Rio Hondo streams may be expected.

Mixing wind and rain with a downpour which is now running well into the third day, the storm which set in early Saturday evening has spread itself over all Southern California below San Luis Obispo, and up to 5 p.m. yesterday had registered precipitation ranging between .62 of an inch and 4.25 inches, and the end is not yet in sight, according to the Weather Bureau.

Up to midnight this city had 2.28 inches for the storm, bringing the season total to 2.54 inches, which is more than an inch ahead of last year's record at this date. At Santa Paula and Glendale the storm total reached 4.25 inches yesterday.

DAMAGE IS LIGHT.

Locally it was reported that con-

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KAISER LIAR OR A FOOL.

Letters Scored in Germany.

Government and Socialist Press Call Hindenburg Missive Brazen.

[BY CABLE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

BERLIN, Dec. 19.—The entire government and Socialists press today dumfe the Kaiser for his letter to Field Marshall Von Hindenburg, attempting to shift the blame for the war from his own head to the Allies in terms ranging from "ill-advised move," to an "act of political brazenness and unbounded stupidity."

In some parliamentary circles it is charged that the monarchists deliberately planned its publication at this juncture in order to defeat Chancellor Wirth's negotiations for a moratorium by arousing the ire of France and England against Germany.

LIAR OR FOOL.

Ridiculing the historic importance attached to the Kaiser's epistle by the conservative press, Freiheit says: "The former Kaiser's associations serve as additional proof that those dealing with him were confronted either with a pathological liar or an utter fool who was absolutely unconscious of the nature of his own words and acts."

Freiheit asserts that while the Kaiser may not have sought to involve all of Europe in war in 1914, Imperial Germany was directly responsible for Austria's move against Serbia, which, the paper declares, the Kaiser and his advisers should have known was bound to lead to a European conflict.

"Publication of the correspondence at this time," concludes Freiheit, "is intended by the conservatives to punch a hole into the London negotiations and increase the difficulties of the Wirth government."

CROWNED DEBASEMENT.

That is the only purpose in giving to the world the utterances of the "crowned dreamer."

Vorwaerts says the "man who for decades filled the world with his silly, martial braggadocio is the least fit to appear as the defender of the German cause."

The Tageblatt believes that the publication is extremely ill advised and is bound to hurt German interests.

The Vossische Zeitung supports the Tageblatt, saying that discussion of the question of war guilt, especially by the former Kaiser, at this time is certain merely to confuse the greater immediate issues which the Wirth government is seeking to hold before the Allies.

FOR WINE AND BEER TAX.

Why Not Raise Soldiers' Bonus From Money That Now Goes to Bootleggers? Treasury Favors it.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—Modification of the national prohibition amendment to permit sale of beer and wine would mean an addition to the government's revenues of $500,000,000 a year, high treasury officials said today. Estimates made in connection with proposed legislation to legalize the sale of beer and wine have revealed, officials said, that $500,000,000 yearly would be collected in taxes.

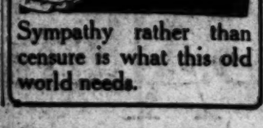
While no indication of the Treasury attitude toward such legislation was disclosed, it was stated officially, however, the Treasury would not oppose such a step. Officials discussed today the possibility of such a measure in the event of the necessity of providing funds for a soldiers' bonus.

Concerning the possibility of a tax on wine and beer, a high official declared that at present the bootleggers were getting the money which might otherwise be going into the Treasury.

Revenue from liquor during the present fiscal year is expected to be about one-half of the receipts the past year, according to an estimate tonight by the prohibition bureau. Last year's total was about $140,000,000, as compared with nearly $200,000,000 in 1910.

Some relaxation in existing regulations governing the sale of alcohol for medical purposes are under consideration, it was stated officially today at the Treasury. Complaints from hospitals and medical associations have been received, asserting the present Treasury regulations are unduly strict and cause unreasonable delay in the distribution of alcohol for medical purposes.

Efforts will be made, officials said, to simplify the regulations.



Sympathy rather than censure is what this old world needs.

WANT CAREER? DON'T WED.

Matrimony Robs Woman of Initiative and Submerges Ambition, Says Wealthy Hotel Owner.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 19.—No woman who seeks a career should marry. No woman of intelligence and initiative can afford to marry, for the reason that matrimony robs woman of individuality and submerges her ambition.

So says Miss Lydia Belle Gibson, one-time school-teacher of Pittsburg and now wealthy hotel owner of Chicago. Miss Gibson says she is wedded to her profession, is supremely happy and will never marry. Twelve years ago she had an opportunity to become a wife. She was engaged to a young man who offered her a sumptuous home, love and all that, together with social position.

BREAKS ENGAGEMENT.

Then she began to wonder whether she ought to submerge her identity in his or strike out for herself and independence.

When she cancelled the engagement and boarded a train to Chicago she made a sacrifice that few women in her sphere would have cared to make; she had renounced marriage for a career.

Today Miss Gibson is independently wealthy. She is the owner of a string of family hotels on the north side and is contemplating a new $1,000,000 enterprise next summer.

Could she have attained the same success had she been married? Her answer is emphatically, no.

"Don't think that I dislike men," Miss Gibson said today. "In fact, I admire them very much and probably would like to be mar-

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Navy Receives Appeals for Aid from Boat

Appeal was made early this morning to the Navy authorities at Los Angeles Harbor to send aid to seven men whose lives are said to be in danger on the power boat Albani, which is stranded at Huntington Beach. One member of the crew of eight swam shore and informed the City Marshal of the predicament of his comrades. He said the engine of the craft was all right, but the boat was stuck about 100 yards from shore and there was a possibility of it being pounded to pieces by the huge waves. The Marshal communicated with the police department at the harbor and asked that it call upon the Navy for help.

Dying Man is Picked Up by Mystery Men.

Herbert Murphy, aged 67 years, night foreman for the Los Angeles Railway, is in the Golden State Hospital dying from a fractured skull and other serious injuries received in an undetermined accident early this morning.

Murphy was taken to the Good Samaritan Hospital shortly after 2 o'clock by two men who gave their names as Pete Florence, driver for the Yellow Taxicab Company, and Charles Loucks. The men informed hospital authorities that they had picked Murphy up from the pavement at the corner of Melrose and Western avenues. The men then disappeared, giving no further particulars. Inquiries at the Yellow Taxicab Company elicited the information that the concern had no driver by the name of Pete Florence on the pay roll. Neither could the name of Charles Loucks be found in the City Directory.

While Murphy, who was later transferred to the Golden State Hospital, may have fallen from a work train, according to the police, they are investigating the accident on the supposition that he was struck down by an automobile.

LATE MORNING NEWS

AGED NEW JERSEY JURIST DIES

TRENTON (N. J.) Dec. 19.—Former State Supreme Court Justice Bennet Van Sickel, aged 91, one of the oldest alumni of Princeton University, died tonight. He entered Princeton when 18 years old and was graduated in 1846 at the age of 16.

PIONEER WOMAN DIES SUDDENLY

Mrs. Harriet Barrow, a pioneer of California and an old resident of Los Angeles, died suddenly last night at the home of her nephew, Dr. John O. Hunt, 617 South Virgil avenue. She was born in Waitsfield, Vt., in 1834, and came to California via the Isthmus in 1868. Upon her arrival in the State she was married to John Able, a Mexican War veteran, and after his death she was married in 1876 to Charles W. Barrow, and lived at Vacaville, in Solano county, for more than twenty years. After Mr. Barrow's death she came with her nephew, Dr. Hunt, to Los Angeles, in 1903. She was a member of Escholtzia Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution, both her great-grandfather and her grandfather having having seen service in the Revolution. She had for many years been a member of the Universalist Church. She was a woman of marked originality and force of character, and her recitals of the stories and incidents of early-day life in California were eagerly listened to by her wide circle of friends. Funeral services will be held Thursday at 10:30 a.m. from the Sutch parlors.

SON OF MEXICAN OFFICIAL SHOT

Joe Rosales, 17, under arrest in connection with a series of residence robberies, was shot through the left leg last night in an attempt to escape from officers. Patrolman C. W. Reber, a new officer, halted the fleeing prisoner with a well-aimed shot. Patrolmen Reber and Holt and Detective Sergeants Hickey and Carr had taken Rosales to 670 Turner street to identify Antonio Ramirez, 17, also wanted a burglary charge. Patrolman Reber was left in the police automobile to guard Rosales and the youth leaped from the machine in an attempt to get away. Ramirez was taken to Central Station and booked on a charge of burglary. Rosales was attended at the Receiving Hospital and later removed to the County Hospital. Rosales was arrested by Patrolman Holt Sunday night while attempting to sell some jewelry. Included in the loot recovered from him and Ramirez were a valuable watch stolen from C. B. Gilberg, 1486 East Forty-third street, last October; $75 worth of articles stolen from A. E. Diedrick, 724 West Fifty-second street, and $200 worth of valuables taken from the residence of T. H. Thexter, 1014 West Fiftieth street. Police believe that the two boys have been implicated in numerous robberies. Rosales is a recent arrival from Mexico. He asserts that his father is a Mexican government official.

WEDDING PLANNED FOR WESTMINSTER.

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

LONDON, Dec. 19.—It is reliably reported the wedding of Princess Mary, daughter of King George and Queen Mary, to Viscount Lascelles will take place in Westminster Abbey. The ceremony probably will be performed between February 20 and April 8.

It is announced the Earl of Eltham, a nephew of Queen Mary, is betrothed to Dorothy Mastiner.

ANGLO-IRISH PEACE PACT KICKED ABOUT BY DAIL.

First Public Session in Dublin of Governing Body Shows Valera Offered Substitute Treaty.

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

DUBLIN, Dec. 19.—When the Dail Eireann adjourned tonight, after two lengthy public sessions devoted to debate, nothing tangible had developed to indicate how members would vote on ratifying the treaty setting up the Irish Free State.

Deputy Duggan, Mrs. Sheehy Skeffington, Tom Johnson, secretary of the Irish Liberal movement, and Col. Maurice Moore, when interviewed, declared it was impossible to make any estimate of the relative strength of those favoring and those opposing the treaty, or to hazard a guess as to which side would eventually gain a majority.

LEADERS UNCERTAIN.

The uncertainty of even prominent leaders regarding the result was reflected on the one side in Michael Collins's declaration that he might never again address the Dail, and on the other by Charles Burgess's pointed statement, that he was "still in office."

The proceedings are certain to last through tomorrow, as many minor members have indicated their intention of speaking.

A feature was the attempt by the peace delegates to deprive Mr. De Valera of his claim of adherence to the republican principle by demanding publication of his plan for alternative settlement, which, it was revealed, had been submitted at last week's private sessions. The argument was that the nation had a right to know what were the two policies they were expected to decide on, and that as a matter of fact, neither was republican.

DE VALERA RESISTS.

Mr. De Valera resisted publication of his alternative plan, explaining it was put forward only in an attempt to secure unanimity in the Dail, and was now irrelevant. He promised, however, later to indicate in his own way the alternative proposal.

Mr. De Valera, Griffith, Collins, Childers, and several other prominent men in the councils of the party spoke today, but it is generally agreed the most sensational and most impressive contribution was Robert Barton's narrative of the circumstances under which he and other delegates were, according to his statement, forced to sign the treaty without referring it back to the Cabinet.

COLLINS'S DEFENSE.

The people, he said, did not understand the immense powers the treaty had given the Irish people. Irish aspirations were satisfied with security and freedom, and the removal of the British Army was proof that the national principles had been established, he argued.

In the course of his speech Mr. Collins referring to cablegrams he had received from America, said:

"Nothing I was going to say will make me unpopular in America for the rest of my life. I am going to hide nothing I think for the sake of American popularity.

SAN FRANCISCO CABLE.

"I received a cablegram from San Francisco saying:

"'Stand fast. We will send you a million dollars a month.'

"My reply to this was to send half a million and send a thousand men fully equipped.

"I received another cablegram from a branch of the American Association for Recognition of the Irish Republic, reading:

"'Don't weaken now. Stand with De Valera.'

"Well, let that branch come over and stand with both of us."

Speaking of the economic penetration of Ireland by England, Mr. Collins said:

"This is a thing we must stop if Gaelic civilization is to survive, and that is what the treaty stops."

NO COERCION.

Mr. Collins said he stood by the decision of the Dail not to coerce Northeastern Ireland, and that in framing the treaty he had desired to insure the good will of Ulster and bring it into the Irish Parliament.

Mr. Collins concluded with a plea for a clean-cut decision, begging the Dail not to shift responsibility.

Erskine Childers, secretary of the delegation to London, who has been warmly seconding Mr. De Valera in his opinion, argued against ratification.

Robert C. Barton, explaining why he signed the treaty, said he and George Gavin Duffy were against signing but when he realized war would result if he did not, he decided to choose "the lesser of two outrages."

OPEN SESSIONS.

When the Dail began its session every seat in the hall was taken. The speaker, Prof. John MacNeill, called the meeting to order.

Adoption of the treaty was moved by Arthur Griffith, Foreign Minister in the Dail Cabinet, and signer of the London agreement.

Commandant McKeon of County Longford, one of the best known of the Irish Republican army leaders, seconded the Griffith motion, saying: "The Irish people want substance, not shadows."

Immediately began arguments as to whether the document introduced by De Valera at the private meeting should be introduced at the public session.

Speaker MacNeill said Mr. De Valera had requested that the document be regarded as confidential until he put forward his own proposal in the public session. Griffith and Collins protested, but the speaker said he could not allow debate on this point.

Mr. Griffith then moved the ratification of the treaty. Speaking to his motion, he said this was not a question of the mere rights of the people, it was a question of the lives and fortunes of the people of Ireland, and he was not going to hide from the Irish people what President De Valera's alternative proposal would mean.

"Not once did we demand recognition of the Irish republic, knowing it would have been impossible to secure it," he said, referring to the London agreement.

He read a letter which had been received from Prime Minister Lloyd George early in the negotiations, saying the government proposed making Ireland ecequal with the other British dominions and to secure for Ireland a place in the League of Nations. The letters also promised the withdrawal of the naval and military forces from Ireland when the agreement was ratified.

Mr. Griffith said the oath of allegiance agreed upon was one "which any Irishman can take with honor." Hearty applause was given him as he took his seat.

DE VALERA SPEAKS.

President De Valera then rose to move the rejection of the treaty.

"I am against this treaty because it will not end the conflict between Great Britain and Ireland," he declared. "I am against the treaty because I am for peace, not war." Mr. De Valera vigorously denounced the treaty as "subverting the public."

He dwelt at length upon the allegiance feature of the document, inveighing in impressioned tones what he declared would be the ignominy of the Irish people taking the oath of allegiance to the British King. He paid tribute, however, to the delegates who signed the pact, saying what they did "was in their excess of love for Ireland."

Continuing his argument for rejection, he declared:

"If King George came over to open the Irish Parliament, you would see black flags in the streets of Dublin."

TREATY INCONSISTENT.

Summing up he asserted that the treaty was entirely inconsistent with Ireland's position, and that if it were ratified Ireland would continue subservient to England.

Cries of "No" from supporters of the treaty followed this declaration.

Austin Stack seconded President De Valera's motion, saying he stood for "complete independence."

Count Plunkett also spoke in support of the motion for rejection.

During his address President De Valera said if a provisional government were set up by Griffith and Collins in Dublin Castle, it would be regarded by the people as a usurpation. They had been chosen by British power as the authority in Ireland, he declared.

There were loud cries of "No" when Mr. De Valera said the Irish army would be His Majesty's army and the Irish ministers His Majesty's ministers.

MAKES PROPHECY.

Perhaps the supporters of the treaty, Mr. De Valera said, might "Scotch" an election and secure a majority, because a war-weary people would take anything, but the people would be dissatisfied and would start up again as they did after the union, and Mr. Lloyd George would undergo the same experience as Pitt.

The treaty, Mr. De Valera argued, was signed under duress. Rather than sign a document which would give the British authority in Ireland, the Irish people should be ready to go on in slavery until their oppressions were blotted out.

Mr. De Valera concluded by saying that the signers of the treaty, as far as they could, had tried to do what Parnell refused to do do—set boundaries to the march of the nation. This statement evoked cheers.

The president's speech was in a heated vein, in contrast with the quiet address of Griffith.

Griffith said the point in dispute was with regard to the recognition of the King. Those on the other side were prepared to recognize the King as head of the British commonwealth. The alternative proposals to the treaty meant that Ireland would be half in and half out of the British Empire, whereas under the treaty, the Irish would go in with heads up. That was the main difference and he would not sacrifice a single young Irishman for it.

Mr. Griffith said this was the first treaty signed between England and Ireland as equals since the year 1172, and it recognized the Irish free state, the Irish army and Irish control of the purse. He said if the treaty were rejected and Ireland went to war again, she would be fighting against the world. He declared the Irish plenipotentiaries went to London to perform as difficult a task as could be placed on the shoulders of men. [Cheers.] Other men were asked to go to London, but they had refused.

"We want," he continued, "and brought back a treaty which safeguards the interests of Ireland—by that treaty I'm going to stand, and every one behind us with a scrap of honor is going to stand by it."

CIVIL WAR THREATENED.

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

LONDON, Dec. 19.—Civil war in Ireland, arising from the Ulster's opposition to the proposed revision of her boundaries under the Irish peace treaty, is seriously threatened, according to the political correspondence of the Westminster Gazette.

Ulster demonstrated that "not one loyalist shall be sacrificed against his will to the Sinn Fein," he said, and adds: "She (Ulster) will certainly not appoint a representative to the boundary commission, and if the commission operates without her consent and allocates any part of her territory to the south, there will be civil war before she parts with it."

The British Parliament will be prorogued this afternoon until January 31, it was announced by Austen Chamberlain, government leader in the House of Commons. The original understanding was that prorogation should not occur until the Dail Eireann had acted on the Anglo-Irish treaty.

Explaining the earlier prorogation, Mr. Chamberlain said that the government had expected to have the result of the Dublin discussion in hand today, but it now appeared possible that the debate would continue until Saturday and it was not desirable to keep Parliament sitting.

King George's message proroguing Parliament said his majesty had "received with deep satisfaction the assurance of your approval of the articles of the Irish agreement," and said he prayed that "this agreement will speedily accomplish complete reconciliation of the people of Great Britain and Ireland."

STRIKE HARD AT DE VALERA.

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Barton, while in the body of the hall was Dick Mulcahy, the redoubtable head of the Irish republican army, who is supporting Mr. Griffith.

In this connection a dramatic surprise was sprung this morning when Sean McKeown, the famous blacksmith of Ballinalee, who is the hero of the Irish army, took the floor as the seconder of Mr. Griffith's motion for the ratification of the treaty and speaking for the fighting men declared they were satisfied.

The first sensation was sprung when Speaker MacNeil announced that Mr. De Valera had requested that the alternative treaty which he had presented in the secret session should be treated as a confidential document. Mr. Griffith immediately protested, declaring that he would not agree to concealing from the Irish people the alternative to ratification, and he flatly refused to be bound by Mr. De Valera's request.

It was evident from the tone of this interchange that the bitterness between the leaders had increased rather than diminished by the secret debates. Mr. Collins also flatly refused to be bound, declaring that even if he was a minority of one he would exercise his right to let the Irish people know the whole truth.

"When we went to London we undertook the hardest task ever laid on the shoulders of man," he said. "Other men were asked to go but other men refused, we went, we took the responsibility at London and we take it here in Dublin. I signed the treaty. I fully believe that it is honorable for Ireland and by it I am going to stand and every man with a scrap of honor who signed it will also stand by it. If I am to stand in the dock, it is by the Irish people that I will be judged. We are their servants, not their masters as some seem to think and I am confident that 95 per cent will hold that this treaty is good enough.

"It has been said that we compromised our republicanism, and also the man who won the war—Michael Collins—compromised Ireland. We will let the people judge."

This was the occasion of Mr. De Valera's first interruption, from which it seemed that his objection to the treaty was that it had been signed voluntarily and not as an admission of defeat.

Resuming, Mr. Griffith said: "What we brought back was the evacuation of Ireland by British troops, we brought back full fiscal control, equality with all the nations in the British empire, equal voice in foreign affairs and peace, not war."

Toward the conclusion of his speech Mr. Griffith allowed himself one bitter gibe at Mr. De Valera.

DE VALERA SAFE.

"During the last few years of the war on the Irish people, Mr. De Valera was in America," he said, "and I had the responsibility of standing for all that was done. I stood for it. Now the position is changed and I will not take the responsibility for losing the life of one more Irishman if this treaty is rejected."

"I have always taken responsibility and I am ready to take it now. Let us take the responsibility on ourselves and in God's name abide by the decision."

A protest against being dominated by what the dead might have thought was made by Kevin O'Higgins, a fighting deputy from Meath, who advocated ratification.

TOAST IRISH FREE STATE IN LONDON.

Appeal Made to Irishmen and Englishmen to Clasp Hands in Friendship.

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

LONDON, Dec. 19.—A toast to the Irish Free State, the first on record, was given tonight at a dinner of the Society of St. Patrick. It was proposed by Gen. Sir Hubert De La Poer Gough, commander of the British Fifth Army during the war and an Irishman by birth. He appealed to all Englishmen and Irishmen to clasp hands in friendship. Miss Collins, a sister of Michael Collins, responded to Gen. Gough, saying she hoped Irish unity would be achieved.

BELFAST, Dec. 19. — The Irish Grand Orange Lodge has issued an address to its members declaring if an Irish free state is set up loyalists will be compelled to defend their lives and liberties by force.

NAVY PROBLEMS NEAR SOLUTION.

Believed Briand Will Yield to Hughes Proposals.

End of Delicate Situation Seems to be Near.

Submarine Tonnage Now the Only Knotty Question.

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night's conference between M. Briand and Ambassador Harvey at London, which press reports say resulted in the Premier's acceptance of the American plan. Today there were signs that the situation might develop further complications because of the direct method of negotiations adopted by Hughes, but the apprehension of the French delegates appeared to be quieted when it was explained the Secretary had acted as chairman of the conference and had addressed Briand as head of the French delegation.

The delicacy of the position in which the French delegates found themselves was increased by announcement of the result of the London conference in press dispatches which came ahead of the Premier's instructions. In the flurry at delegation headquarters some lesser French officials talked of the possibility of a Cabinet crisis in France, should it prove true that Briand had suddenly thrown over the 350,000-ton plan for which his representatives here were stoutly contending.

COUNSEL AND ADVICE.

Delegates would not go into details regarding the Premier's message, but there were indications they had not found it distasteful. It was declared to be rather in the nature of counsel and advice than a mandate, and was said to leave the real decision to those on the ground here. Whether the 350,000-ton plan is to be pressed again when the committee of fifteen assembles tomorrow, was not revealed.

There were many indications that with any recession on the capital ship question, the French would attempt to associate some form of assurance that they will be given the privilege of increasing their submarine strength. There is no tendency to link the two into one formal agreement, but it is apparent that the French want it made clear that whatever ratio they accept for capital ships shall not apply also to auxiliary craft.

FLEET OBSOLETE.

It is not improbable that the French representatives also will want such a modification of the naval holiday plan as will permit them to replace their obsolescent battleships with vessels of the post-Jutland type so far as they can build them within the specified tonnage limit. Because of the war, the French naval experts declare, their fleet is badly in need of replacements. A replacement provision would not be a surprise in the final French program accepted by the other powers.

The submarine problem, which is to be taken up when the five-power ratio for capital ships is settled, presents increasing complications. Great Britain wants to abolish the submarine and has asked to present her case against it at a public session of the conference. There is no expectation even by the British, however, that they will carry the point, but they do hope to cut in half the submarine tonnage tentatively suggested for the United States, Great Britain and Japan in the American plan.

SUBMARINE FIGURES.

Under this plan, Great Britain would have 90,000 tons in submarines, the United States 90,000 and Japan 54,000. Figuring out the ratio on the same basis, a 175,000-ton capital ship fleet for France would allow her a submarine tonnage of 30,000 tons. That would be very far below the figures the French desire, especially if they are to accept the American figures on capital ships.

The British desire to restrict closely submarine construction is said to rest not only on considerations of humanity, but on principles of national defense. When used against merchantmen, the underwater craft also constitutes a menace to the maritime nations, of which Great Britain is the most influential.

CAN BE CURTAILED.

In the view of the American and French naval experts, however, and perhaps those also of Italy and Japan, the activities of the submarine against mechant shipping can be curtailed by an agreement on new rules of warfare, leaving only purely military considerations involved.

As the capital ship problem verges toward a decision, the naval experts are giving more and more of their attention to the submarine question as one likely to present a troublesome knot.

Although the French capital ship discussions simmered down at their crucial stage to direct exchanges between Secretary Hughes and Premier Briand, it was learned today that the American delegates repeatedly had sought to impress on the French representatives in informal conferences the necessity for a recession from the 350,000-ton plan.

ON FALSE BASIS.

In these behind the scenes consultations the French were told that they were proceeding on a false basis, which should be destroyed before it would be possible to erect any sound structure to shelter the conceptions of relief of the world from the heavy burdens of competitive naval increases. It was pointed out that there was no disposition whatever by America to question the right of France to build any number of ships she cared to construct to meet the needs of naval defense. America did not challenge that inherent right if France chose to exercise it, it was explained.

But on the other hand, it was pointed out, America had the right to recall to the French mind the primary purpose of the conference, to which France had subscribed. That purpose, it was said, was not to fix what should be the naval strength of the various nations, but simply to get them to agree to stop the ruinous race for naval supremacy. It was pointed out that America had voluntarily undertaken to scrap ships to the value of $300,000,000, and Great Britain had met this proposal by agreeing to duplicate it. Then it was asked what sacrifice was France to make to compensate these concessions.

SUGAR TARIFF HOTLY ARGUED.

Cubans Want Return to the Underwood Rate.

See Disaster if Figure is Set Too High.

American Producers Seek Protection.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—Extended arguments for and against retention of the present temporary duty of 1.6 cents a pound on Cuban raw sugar were presented today to Senate tariff framers.

Spokesmen for American sugar companies operating in Cuba declared that the rate would prevent rehabilitation of the industry there, while representatives of the beet sugar industry in this country asserted a return to the Underwood rates of one cent a pound would prevent development of that industry, if it did not destroy it.

Those representing American companies in Cuba declared that more than a mere tariff question was involved; that the rehabilitation of Cuba depended upon the sugar industry and the United States was morally bound to aid that country. They also argued that there was $1,000,000,000 of American capital invested in the Cuban industry as against $280,000,000 in the industry in this country.

MEANS HUGE TAX.

It also was argued that the duty proposed to be made "permanent" by the Fordney bill was the highest imposed in thirty years and that it represented a tax of $162,000,000 annually on the American people, $81,000,000 of which would go to American sugar producers.

Spokesmen for the industry in the United States testified that the beet sugar industry had been developed in seventeen states; that there was invested in it $200,000,000, with ninety-five factories. It now is producing annually 1,000,000 tons of sugar, or nearly one-fourth of the domestic consumption and is reclaiming waste land because the beets will grow where other produce will not.

IMPROVES LAND.

The acreage now is 850,000 and the farmers raising the crop number 100,000, who give employment to an additional 85,000.

Given proper protection, the witnesses argued, the industry would expand where it could supply most of the domestic demand and in case of war make the country independent of foreign countries. It also was contended that the raising of beets improved farm lands.

As to the tax on the people represented in the duty, it was contended that this amounted to only $1.44 for each inhabitant each year and that the industry was worth such an expense.

TURKS BACK IN SILICA.

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 17. (Delayed in Transmission)—The last French outposts have been withdrawn beyond Psiaa, in Northern Syria, and all of Silica has been restored to Turkish administration. All British subjects have departed on the cruiser Concord.

FEAR FALL OF PEKING REGIME.

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support. It is a drowning man grasping at a straw."

Japan today made a final offer for settlement of the Shantung Railroad question. The terms follow:

Japan is to hand over to China within six or eight months after the coming into effect of the agreement on the entire Shantung question the Kiao Chow-Tsinanfu Railroad, with all its branches, including wharves, and warehouses. The mines question is to be put aside for separate discussion.

China is to pay the actual value of the railroad as determined by the reparations commission, plus improvements by Japan, less depreciation allowances.

China is to conclude a loan agreement with Japanese capitalists on the basis of terms which have been embodied in recent railway loan agreement as entered into by China with various foreign capitalists.

China is given ten years in which to redeem the road, or twenty years if the loan is not paid during the ten-year period.

TOKIO HOLDS STRING.

Such an arrangement would give to the Japanese capitalists making the loan the right to have the Chinese government appoint three Japanese railway experts who would safeguard the bankers' and investors' interests. This was the point of discussion when the meeting closed today. The Japanese want an auditor, chief engineer and traffic manager, although recognizing in principle, full control, ownership and operation of the road by the Chinese.

The first Chinese proposal was for a cash-down payment for the road. The next was for a three-year installment period, the money to be furnished by the Chinese bankers. If they accept this final proposal by Japan they will have to back down on this stand and further defy the opinion of the official Chinese groups in Washington.

WANT ROAD REDEEMED.

Representatives of Chinese organizations presented demands to the delegation today to the effect that the Chinese people want the road redeemed at once for cash, the Chinese to have complete control and management, and that any arrangement by which Japanese will share in the control, by continued financial interest, forced employment of Japanese, must be opposed. But the people back of these resolutions, while able to sway opinion in China, are not the official delegates, and from the official source the impression came tonight that everything had progressed, and that a final agreement might be expected tomorrow.

"In fact," said Dr. Alfred Sze, "we had hoped to end today and have reached the final points."

If the delegates put this agreement through on Japanese lines they will have a merry time explaining things to the students.

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Brennan-Ball.
2162-A—ASLEEP IN THE DEEP—Fox Trot—Spencer
Lamb-Pertin.
2163-A—MONASTERY BELLS—Waltz—Spencer
Wendling.
B—SILVER SANDS OF LOVE—Waltz—Spencer
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Brennan-Dubin-Ball.
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B—DREAM OF ME—Fox Trot—Spencer
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Para beneficio de los muchos amigos de habla castellana que tiene el Times, así como tambien para ayudar a los estudiantes de este idioma en Los Angeles, el Times tiene el gusto de ofrecerles una serie de noticias importantes de ultima hora, en Espanol. El conocimiento de este idioma, expuesto en una forma sencilla, usando frases de uso diario, es de gran valor, especialmente para los residentes del suroeste de Estado. En esta ciudad actualmente hay mas de 15,000 personas que se dedican al estudio de la lengua espanola.

NOTAS TELEGRAFICAS.

Juicio Hipotecario en Nogales.

NOGALES (Ariz.) diciembre 19. Hoy se consumo el juicio hipotecario en los intereses de Louis Oldesdore, en esta vez, fue el edificio del Hotel Montezuma, el que por anos ha sido manejado por Louis J. Iager. El Sr. Oldesdore, segun se sabe, esta en Mexico.

Reconociendo el Terreno Petrolero en Ecuador.

GUAYAQUIL (Ecuador) diciembre 19.—Sir Archibald Williamson, Baron Gainford y Federick Milns, quienes han estado visitando los campos petroleros de este lugar, fueron recibidos hoy, por el Sr. Presidente Tamayo, en audiencia especial.

La Situacion en Seria en Tacna y Arica.

LIMA (Peru) diciembre 19.—El Sr. Ministro Torconal, en un despacho relativo a la situacion de Tacona y Arica, dice que la proposicion del gobierno de Chile, por un plebiscito, aunque fue inesperada, ha puesto al Peru como un pueblo obstinado y dispuesto a que se resuelva la situacion. El plebiscito sin embargo, lejos de aliviar la situacion, la empeoraria, esta es la opinion general aqui.

El Tratado de Colombia.

BOGOTA (Colombia) diciembre 19.—Se espera que el Congreso de Colombia ratifique esta semana los tratados habidos entre los Estados Unidos y Colombia.

El Tratado Irlandes.

DUBLIN, diciembre 19.—Dail Eireann tuvo una sesion hoy para tratar los asuntos referentes al tratado que se firmo en Londres, y protesto energicamente contra tal hecho. La sesion fue muy acalorada, durante la cual, se pronunciaron discursos muy energicos por parte de los opositores y los proponentes. Tambien, durante la sesion de la manana, el Sr. Presidente De Valera propuso una alianza como alternativa. El Sr. Michael Collins, uno de los delegados a las conferencias de Londres y firmante del tratado actual, urgio el que fuera aceptado, igual cosa hizo Arthur Griffith. Los que propusieron este tratado, alegaron, que Irlanda, tendria la misma independencia que el Canada, y que bajo los terminos del tratado, podia enviar un Embajador a los Estados Unidos.

NOTAS LOCALES.

La Lluvia Inunda el Sur de California.

Toda la parte Sur de California estuvo amenazada de ser inundada anoche, debido a la constante lluvia que ha estado cayendo desde el sabado pasado. Segun decir de los oficiales del departamento metereologico la lluvia continuara por algunos dias. Los crecimientos de los rios han arrastrado puentes y el trafico ferroviario, al este, se ha interrumpido. Un puente en la linea del ferrocarril de Santa Fe, cerca de Monrovia, fue destruido y la corriente del rio de San Gabriel produjo una inundacion; en El Monte, las aguas del rio estaban corriendo sobre la via del ferrocarril Sud Pacifico, varios desclaves en el Cajon Pass interrumpieron el trafico. Los Angeles ha tenido 2.08 pulgadas de lluvia, haciendo un total de 3.34 por la estacion de lluvias, o sea, mas de una pulgada que en cualquiera otro ano. La parte donde la tormenta ha sido mas fuerte, fue en Mt. Wilson donde se registro una caida de agua de 9.35 pulgadas a las cinco de la tarde, segun reportes del departamento meteorologico.

El Juicio de Burch.

Lo que ocurrio en Beverly Glen la noche del 5 de agosto ultimo, cuando J. Belton Kennedy fue asesinado en su choza, fue dicho al jurado que pugna a Arthur C. Burch, ayer, por dos oficiales del cuerpo de policia quienes fueron llamados como testigos por la defensa. Sus declaraciones son algo diferentes a la que rindio la Sra. Besenty, una testigo presentada por el Ministerio Publico. Durante los careos, la senora fue interrogada acerca de las diferencias entre su declaracion y la de los oficiales de policia, a lo que ella contesto, que ignoraba que lo dicho por los otros testigos fuera cierto.

La Acusacion en Contra de la Captura del Barco Mabel es Abandonada.

El gobierno de los Estados Unidos ha decidido el abandonar sus protestas contra la captura del barco pescador Mabel hecha por mexicanos, segun reportes que se acaban de recibir de El Paso. El Consul de Mexico en ese lugar recibio un despacho telegrafico de Mexico, en el cual se dice que el Sr. Secretario de Agricultura y Comercio habia recomendado el que se establezcan estaciones en la bahia de Los Angeles y en San Diego, para que establezcan vigilancia sobre los pescadores clandestinos en las costas occidentales de Mexico. La tripulacion del Mabel fue llevada a Ensenada, Baja California. La referida tripulacion fue acusada de estar pescando en aguas mexicanas sin el permiso correspondiente.

La Casa del Sr. Schenck es Amenazada.

La violenta accion de la Sra. Paul W. Schenck, esposa del senor defensor de Burch, previno ayer, el que dos bandidos hubiesen robado la casa del defensor en Sierra Vista. Los dos hombres, quienes fueron admitidos a la casa, por creerse que venian a componer los alambres telefonicos, atacaron a la criada, pero la Sra. Schenck salto a la calle por una ventana y a gritos pidio auxilio, el que le fue dado por los vecinos que vinieron a su ayuda, pero los bandidos ya habian escapado en un auto.

DEPORTES.

Baseball.

El team de los Gigantes de Nueva York, que el ano pasado ganaron el campeonato, se asegura tendran su preparacion en el Sur de California durante la primavera de 1922.

Football.

El team de los Arizona Wildcats (gatos salvajes) llegaran a San Diego el proximo domingo para jugar contra el team del Colegio del Centro, el 26 de diciembre proximo.

Boxeo.

Los amantes de este sport, a traves de los Estados Unidos, quieren ver a Harry Wills, el negro heavyweight (peso fuerte,) en un encuentro con Jack Dempsey. Muchos de los conocedores creen que Wills puede vencer a Dempsey.

La ultima semana de boxeo entre la tripulacion de la flota del Pacifico para decidir el campeonato sera en enero, en esta ciudad.

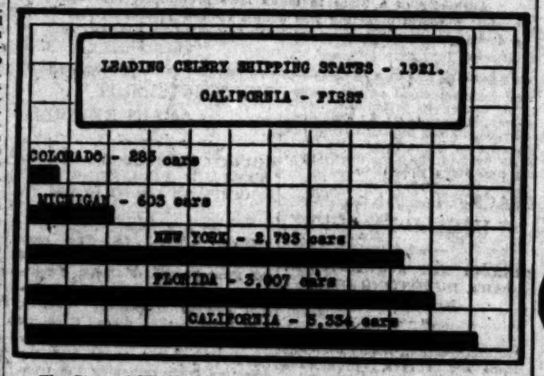
The World Today

This article on celery, prepared by the Research Department of The First National Bank of Los Angeles and the Los Angeles Trust & Savings Bank, is one of a series on California's products.

California has seen most phenomenal development in the production and marketing of vegetables which find ready markets in those sections of the country that are unable to grow fresh vegetables during certain periods of the year. Because of this advantage given to her by nature, California leads in the production of six of the thirteen most important vegetables grown in the United States, and takes high rank in the remaining seven.

In the production of celery, California leads all the other states of the Union, Florida, New York, Michigan and Colorado follow in the order named. The acreage in celery in California is approximately 5,351 acres, which is slightly in excess of one-fourth of the acreage of the United States, namely, 20,144 acres. The other important celery states have the following acreage in celery: Michigan, 3,343 acres; New York, 3,288 acres; Pennsylvania, 1,379 acres; Ohio, 1,290 acres; and Florida, 1,225 acres.

The accompanying chart is a graphical representation of the car lot shipments of celery for the seasons of the respective states. It shows that California leads, and that 3,334 cars of celery were shipped during the season of October 15, 1920, to April 30, 1921. This is an increase over the 1916-1917 season of 71.9 per cent.



The State of Florida is the second greatest shipper of celery, and for the 1920-1921 season followed California closely with a total of 3,007 car lot shipments. The season for Florida celery commences January 1 and runs to June 15. The two states of California and Florida thus ship at approximately the same time but they do not come into competition for the reason that both are the principal late-celery shippers and the market can readily absorb all of their produce.

To Southern California growers and celery dealers must go a great deal of credit in developing a vegetable that only a half-dozen years ago was sadly neglected commercially and which since that time has increased to considerable commercial importance. For the season 1916-1917, 5,922 cars were shipped in the United States, and six years later this had increased to 10,355 cars, with the states of Florida and California shipping 6,341 cars of this total for the United States. California for the former season shipped approximately one-fifth of the celery of the country, and for the latter season, she shipped approximately one-third of the total number of cars.

Those engaged in this industry have successfully developed the industry from a position of negligible importance to one of considerable importance. Proof of this lies in the fact that the last season has meant a money return to the growers of $1,984,500, which gives the crop of celery not such an insignificant place among the 102 distinct soil products of the State of California.

INHERITANCE TAXES

When the California State Inheritance Tax Law was amended in several respects by the 1921 session of the State Legislature, there was incorporated an important provision relative to safe deposit boxes or other receptacles of similar character. Section 13 of the law, as now amended, prescribes that upon the death of any person, who at the time of demise had the privilege of access to a safe deposit box, such box must not be entered until it is examined and released by a representative of the State Controller. Literature giving these details is obtainable from C. E. Pyle, Trust Department, Los Angeles Trust & Savings Bank.

The Trust Department of the Los Angeles Trust & Savings Bank has also compiled a complete study of "California Inheritance Taxes and Federal Estate Taxes." This booklet may also be secured from Mr. Pyle of the Trust Department, who upon request will point out the proper methods of procedure in individual cases. This is of interest to every property owner in California.

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TO CUT DOWN ON STATE AUTO USE.

COSTS CALIFORNIA $400,000 YEARLY TO SUPPORT 974 MACHINES.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 19.—Awakening to the realization that it is costing the State approximately $400,000 per year to support its fleet of 974 automobiles, valued at $1,000,000, the State Board of Control has started an investigation into this item of governmental expense. Egerton Shore of the Board of Control, and chief of the division of purchases and custody of the State Department of Finance today declared he is endeavoring to get all possible information regarding the fleet of automobiles used by the departments, commissions and agencies.

"I have no suspicion," said Shore "that the automobiles in the State service are being used for other than business purposes or that there is an excessive number of cars, but nevertheless as a matter of business procedure, I intend to find out the use to which each machine is being put.

"A letter already has been sent out at my direction to all departments, commissions, institutions and agencies requesting that they forward to me specific information concerning each machine under their control. I want to know the name of the persons who drive the cars, the mileage each car makes monthly, its condition of repair. Then it is my plan to follow this information with a thorough inquiry."

MORE SHOP MEN IDLE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

MINNEAPOLIS, Dec. 19.—Approximately 1000 locomotive workers and car-men employed at the South Minneapolis shops of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railroad will be thrown out of work tonight when orders for a shutdown becomes effective, officials announced today.

SAY PRISONER CONFESSED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

STOCKTON, Dec. 19.—Pablo Sapien has confessed, the police said, that he killed Mrs. Amelia Chavez. He surrendered to the police last night. Sapien and Mrs. Chavez had been drinking together according to his own story. He told her she had enough. When she went to the cellar for more liquor, Sapien shot and killed her.

WOMAN CONVICTED OF MANSLAUGHTER.

PROMINENT DRY WORKER TO APPEAL CASE; FREED ON OLD BOND.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

ADRIAN (Mich.) Dec. 19.—Mrs. Matie Kirby, prominent State temperance worker, accused of manslaughter in connection with the disappearance of her nameless grandchild, was convicted in Circuit Court here today. The jury reached its verdict early Saturday evening, but upon instruction of Judge Burton L. Hart, the finding was sealed and withheld until court opened this morning.

Counsel for Mrs. Kirby immediately moved for a new trial and she was released on her own bond of $5000.

Under the Michigan law the maximum sentence for manslaughter is fifteen years' imprisonment.

Mrs. Kirby was originally accused of murder, but the charge was reduced to manslaughter just before the case went to the jury upon motion of the defense attorney, who asserted the State had not proved the child was dead.

BARBER IS HELD IN POSTMAN'S MURDER.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

GRASS VALLEY, Dec. 19.—An ex-convict named Benoit and known also as "Frenchy" was detained by the authorities today on suspicion that he has knowledge of the murder of Peter Cadden, local mail carrier, whose mutilated body was found in the basement of an unoccupied house yesterday. Benoit is a barber.

Bloody clothing is said by the authorities to have been seen near the house where Benoit lives. Postal authorities here are investigating Cadden's death.

NEGRO WORKMAN IS CRUSHED TO DEATH.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

MEMPHIS (Tenn.) Dec. 19.—One negro workman was crushed to death, several were reported seriously injured and others narrowly escaped when an excavation being made at Russwood Baseball Park collapsed, burying the men under the falling earth.

MAN WOUNDED IN OFFICE OF DENTIST.

NEW YORKER'S ROOM REVEALS CASH, LARGE AMOUNT OF GOLD, PLATINUM.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

PRINCETON (Ind.) Dec. 19.—Paul A. Stokel of New York was shot in the office of Dr. J. Cunningham this morning. When wounded, he said: "No Christmas presents for my little girl."

At his room at a local hotel, $200 in cash, and a large amount of dentist's gold and platinum were found. At the Methodist Hospital it was said his wounds may be fatal. His story is that he went to the dentist's office to get a tooth filled, that the doctor seized, searched, and then shot him twice.

Several letters were found signed "Muriel," and speaking of him as father. There was a ribbon and a clipping of yellow hair in one letter.

AMERICA NEUTRAL IN TACNA-ARICA FUSS.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—The United States will take no part in the controversy between Chile and Peru in regard to Tacna and Arica, it was said at the State Department today. This country has maintained an impartial position with regard to the dispute.

Reports that those countries were carrying on a correspondence through American diplomatic agents were declared to be unfounded. The United States is not employing its offices in the interest of either country, but any agreement that might be reached between the two countries, agreeable to both, would be agreeable to the United States, it was said.

Italy Wants Russian Trade.

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

ROME, Dec. 19.—Italy's resumption of trade with Russia is advocated by the Foreign Affairs Committee of the Senate under certain limitations. The committee yesterday declared the restoration of trade between Italy and Russia must be considered apart from the question of the resumption of diplomatic relations.

LEAVES PRISON FOR VAUDEVILLE STAGE.

ARCH BIGAMIST SIGNS CONTRACT TO DO TURN ON VARITEY CIRCUIT.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

OSSINING, N. Y., Dec. 19.—Having served his sentence of 15 months, John M. McGraw, arch bigamist, has quit Sing Sing prison for the vaudeville stage. Released yesterday, McGraw was driven from the prison in a motor car sent by a New York City booking agent, who has signed the ex-convict to do a turn on a two-a-day vanisty circuit.

McGraw's vaudeville act will be an elaboration of his burlesque on his offense—a monologue on bigamy together with a song of his own creation entitled, "Why Don't The Women Let Me Alone?" which was the hit of a show given by the inmates of Sing Sing recently.

In the course of his monologue at the prison show McGraw, who was convicted in New York City, said:

"A woman asked me the other day what I was in prison for 'Bigamy,' I replied. 'How many wives had you?' she asked. 'Four,' I said. 'How are you enjoying your liberty?' she inquired."

The line of humor appealed to McGraw's fellow prisoners.

HOME CONSULS MUST VISE PASSPORTS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—Persons intending to enter Mexico must have passports vised by the Mexican consul within whose jurisdiction the holder resides, the Department of State was informed today. It was said the Mexican consuls along the border have discontinued viseing the certified copies of passport applications and only full passports vised as above set forth are acceptable for travel in Mexico.

Ship Company in Trouble.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—E. B. Barnes today was appointed receiver for the France and Canada Steamship Company by Federal Judge Hand.

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...the episode of Ed ...gladiator's ear in ...again has come to ...trated this stunt ...ge, but so far has ...down. ...about seventeen ...Calvary was wearing ...A.C. The Trojans ...Methodists. In ...days) were playing ...old Prager Park, now ...across from Wash- ...it was enclosed then, ...used as a baseball ...outsiders, who were ...with the Coast ...supreme in those ...regularly trimmed the ...as it was not a ...the two teams were ...day was playing left ...During an exciting ...he fray he secured a ...on of the Blue and ...ears and gnawed ...how they pulled ...anything went in ...

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Tilt to Decide Casaba Honors of the Fleet.

The basketball championship of the Pacific Fleet will be decided at the Sub Base tomorrow afternoon, when the U.S.S. Mississippi quintet tackles the five from the U.S.S. Oklahoma. The Mississippi has won the championship of the eighth division, while the Oklahoma holds similar honors in the seventh division. The Oklahoma is a favorite in many quarters, having won the championship of the Atlantic Fleet last year and having practically the same line-up this year.

HAS NOTHING TO SAY ABOUT JACK DEMPSEY

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 19.—"I don't care to say anything about Jack Dempsey now, but I'll have lots to say about him when the case is called," said Bee Palmer today, discussing charges by Al Siegel, her husband, that she had become infatuated with Dempsey during a vaudeville engagement.

Miss Palmer is here attending her father, who is ill.

M'MILLIN CAME BACK AND MADE HIS ASSERTION GOOD; CENTRE LADS ARE FIGHTERS.

BY COL. WILDCAT.
[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN DIEGO, Dec. 19.—I stood in the center of the San Diego stadium along with Col. A. T. Coyne this morning, and we pictured the coming classic between his Alma Mater and the picturesque Arizona Wild Cats the day after Christmas, in the very place where we were standing.

Now, the colonel is inclined to be reminiscent at times, and even as we chatted of the battle before us, he spoke of those past glorious conflicts in Harvard stadium, between that oldest university and the veteran college of Kentucky. He recalled, in his slow, eloquent southern way, that incident which occurred on the field of battle after the first Harvard-Centre game, which had ended 31-14, in favor of the former.

HERO "BO."

Arnold Horween, Harvard captain, approached "Bo" McMillin, the hero of a conquered team—Col. "Bo," who had tasted defeat—bitter, humbling defeat for the first time in five years, and Horween carried in his hand the football which had been used in the contest, and which the conventions of the game decreed to be his possession as captain of the winning eleven. He silently handed that football to McMillin, giving him credit for the valiant stand his team had made and the glorious fight he himself had waged. It was a most courteous action and McMillin responded in true southern fashion. "It is yours by right of conquest," said he. "But we will be back to get it next year."

True to the captain's word, Centre came on Harvard field this season to redeem that defeat. Once again McMillin was ready to lead the team. Once more proud Harvard settled back to contemplate an overwhelming victory. But there were thousands rooting for Centre, where the season before there had been tens. Boston Col-

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TO PLAY RUGBY.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Dec. 19.—Stanford's rugby football team will leave San Francisco late next Thursday for Victoria, B. C., where they will play two games, after which they will play two more in Vancouver, B. C.

Bo McMillin, Centre's Famous Quarterback.

Here is the noted Danville product who will call signals for Kentucky's gridiron contraption at San Diego next Monday, when Centre meets the Arizona Wildcats. We have him squatting, but not for the purpose of praying. Bo was an All-American quarterback last year, and a lot of folks think Walter Camp, dean of the pickers, will nominate him again this year.

NEALE HEEDS WARNING.

W. & J. Coach Fearing California's "Forward Passes" Puts Lads Through Hard Practice.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

WASHINGTON (Pa.) Dec. 19.—The character of the Washington and Jefferson football practice this afternoon was molded along lines that indicated Coach Neale had taken heed to the warning that has been flashed from the West to "beware of California's forward passes." So many warnings of such a persistent nature have come along the same line that Neale said today he believed California must have something on all of them in flinging the ball via the aerial route. At any rate, he is taking no chances and today began to build his defense for the Bears' pass. Washington and Jefferson has the California pass formations and the scrubs in the practice today employed them.

The practice came close to being a real scrimmage, although Neale did not exactly characterize it as such. He called it a "dummy" scrimmage, but the players when they finished up their work said they had nothing but genuine football in the drill. Neale, himself, went in on the scrub team and helped his second string manipulate the California passes.

That the tosses originated by

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Babe Ruth is First Sacker for Yankees.

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—Miller Huggins, Yankee manager, it was learned today, let it be known while in New York, last week that in event the New York American League Club is successful in getting outfielder Bob Veach from the Detroit Tigers, in all probability Babe Ruth will succeed Wallie Pipp at first base for the American League champions next season. Ruth wanted to play the base last season but the injury of Bobby Roth and Ping Bodies failure to hold his own required Ruth's retention in the outfield. Pipp remained on first and fielded sufficiently well but his hitting was desultory. Huggins considers Veach a better defensive player in left field than Ruth and indicated eagerness to shift the home run king to the initial infield station. He believes the big fellow is less likely to be injured there than in roaming the outer ranges.

BASKETERS ARE WELL MATCHED.

Conference Squads Show a Very Even Line-up.

Battles This Year Promise to be Hot Ones.

Redlands at Present is in First Position.

CONFERENCE STANDING.

Team.	W.	L.	Pct.
Redlands	2	0	1.000
Whittier	1	0	1.000
Southern Branch	1	1	.500
Caltek	1	1	.500
Pomona	0	2	.000
Oxy	0	1	.000

from the results of the first basketball games of the season it looks as if the Southern California Intercollegiate Conference teams are going to have a mighty successful and highly competitive schedule. The fives appear to be more evenly matched than at any time in recent years, the games to date, with perhaps one exception, being extremely hard-fought and productive of very close scores.

ON STAR WORK.

Redlands University, relying on the stellar work of Bill Troyer, Colin Ogden, Kenny Knights and Tolleson, have scored two victories, which entitles them to the lead in the official standings. Without the services of Capt. Troyer, the Baptists ran away from the Sagehens at Claremont, ten days ago, the score being 44 to 17. Big Thompson, husky Bulldog center, was not a small factor in this win, covering the floor in great shape. However, Coach Weismann's Blue and White line-up was a very crippled affair without Taylor or Voorhies on hand. The Sagehens were woefully weak at center, just where Redlands was particularly strong on that night. Saturday evening the Southern Branch five, last year's champions, were made to taste defeat at the hands of Coach Guy Daniels' men, the score being 26 to 24. The Cubs led at half time, 12 to 10, and scored an additional twelve markers in the second half, ten of which were accounted for by "Bugs" Woodward from the free throw line. This classy player was a tower of strength to the Branchers, and with Gibbs, also a veteran from last year's team, makes up the bulwark of the Cub five. Capt. Troyer was the main light for the Baptists, getting back into harness again after being out the Pomona game on account of scholastic difficulties.

Whittier started their schedule off rather suspiciously, Friday afternoon, when they bumped off the Pomona five, 32 to 19, in a hard-fought game. Any team which wins from the Quakers, when playing in their abbreviated gym, will have accomplished a victory worth crowing about. This, however, does not mean that Whittier hasn't a strong five. On the contrary, Coach Perry has a regular he-man team with Brownson and Pickett starring at forwards and Joe Buckmaster at center. Reece and Ray Johns are a splendid pair of guards.

STAKE SPURT.

Caltek got in the running by defeating Oxy Saturday night, 28 to 26. It was anybody's game throughout most of the encounter, the score at the end of the half being 16 all. The Engineers, aided by some excellent work on the part of the Larsen brothers, spurted at the finish and passed Roy Haslett's Tigers. The result of this game was something of an upset, as the Oxy team was figured as one of the very strongest in the league. The Tigers have five lettermen on their aggregation, and after vacation should be a mighty tough crew to beat.

BANTIES IN THE FEATURE BOUT.

Rubidoux Boxes With Lotsey at Jack Doyle's.

Neff and Trambitas Carded for Semi-Wind-up.

Seven Good Set-tos on the Program Tonight.

Featured by a bout between Ad Rudidoux of Riverside, one of the best 118-pounders in this section of the State, and Johnny Lotsey of Sacramento, an all-star card of four-round battles will be staged at the Vernon arena tonight.

Perhaps the card is shy on classy boxing, but what it lacks in this end will undoubtedly be made up in action, for the majority of scrappers figure to step out and slug from the first until the final bell.

HAS CLASS.

Lotsey came south with an excellent reputation. Reports from the northern end of the State are to the effect the Sacramento scrapper has the class. Rubidoux is a real fighter and if Lotsey will stand up and slug local boxing fans should see an excellent bout.

Chet Neff and Johnny Trambitas are matched for the semi-wind-up. It looks to be a good bout. Neff has demonstrated time and again that he can take 'em. Trambitas can both hit and box, so it figures to be an excellent combination.

FOR A GOAL.

Heavyweights will furnish the feature preliminary, Jimmie Dime meeting Ted Schneider. The latter is the big fellow who socked Patsey Dillon for a goal a short time ago.

Other battles on tonight's card and the order in which they will be staged follows: Herb Ryan vs. Red Mulburn, 135 pounds; Steve Dalton vs. Jack Thomas, 150 pounds; Ray Rose vs. Tommy Chapple, 122 pounds, and Johnny Weber vs. Young Papke, 135 pounds. George Blake will referee.

Champions to Do 1923 Work in California.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 19.—Announcement that the New York Giants will train in California in 1923 was made here recently by Dr. Charles H. Strub, president of the San Francisco club of the Pacific Coast Baseball League. Strub returned last week from the East.

Before the local owner left New York, he was authorized by Manager McGraw and President Stoneham of the Giants, to select a California site for the world champions in the spring of 1923. The Giants, while in the West probably will play with the Coast League clubs training in California.

Dr. Strub will not select a site for the Giants' training camp until the close of the 1922 season. The Giants trained in California in 1907.

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—John J. McGraw, vice-president and manager of the New York National League club, stated today that the reported spring training trip to the Pacific Coast in 1923 was open to consideration.

"No plans looking for such a trip are in the making at this time," said McGraw. "But we will give due consideration at the proper time to any proposition relative to California as a training ground."

THE ALL-AMERICAN NINE-HOLE COURSE.

One of my correspondents has suggested that I describe an imaginary course containing the eighteen best holes in America. That is a novel idea, to say the least, and I think this enthusiast must have had in mind the National Golf Links of America. That course, as is rather well known, is composed of a reproduction of a series of famous holes from British courses—not from the thousands of courses throughout Britain, but from the cycle of six seaside courses over which the British championship rotates. The result gives us a wonderful golf course down on Long Island.

Here are nine of what I would call the best eighteen holes, the most difficult nine holes in American golf:

Hole No. 1—Chicago Golf Club.
Hole No. 2—Pine Valley.
Hole No. 3—St. Louis Country Club.
Hole No. 4—Merion Cricket Club, Philadelphia.
Hole No. 5—Mayfield, Cleveland.
Hole No. 6—Columbia Golf Club, Washington.
Hole No. 7—Flossmoor Country Club, Chicago.
Hole No. 8—National Golf Links, Long Island.
Hole No. 9—Memphis Country Club.

I can recall some wonderful first holes, but Chicago golf's first stands out from all others. It has 420 yards with a free space for the tee shot and a narrow entrance to the green.

The second, which I choose from

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RACING PRECARIOUS GAME.

[BY CABLE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

LONDON, Dec. 19.—That racing is a precarious game is more than emphasized by statistics of the past racing season in England. That the knowing ones knew many things that were not so is evident by the number of times that favorites were defeated and dark horses won. The odds against the winner in some of the more important events are compiled by the Liverpool Post as follows:

Lincolnshire Handicap, Sirama, 22-1.
Liverpool Spring Cup, Sprig of Orange, 100-7.
Two Thousand Guineas, Craigan-Eran, 100-6.
One Thousand Guineas, Betting, 33-1.
"Jubilee" Handicap, Paragon, 100-7.
Ascot Stakes, Spearwort, 100-7.
Royal Hunt Cup, Illuminator, 50-1.
Steward's Cup, Service Kit, 20-1.
Ebor Handicap, March Along, 100-7.
Doncaster St. Leger, Polymarch, 50-1.
Duke of York Handicap, Paragon, 100-8.
Cesarewitch, Tutol, 100-8.
Great Tom Plate, Victory Speech, 100-8.
Liverpool Autumn Cup, Crevasse, 100-8.
Cambridgeshire, Milenko, 100-7.

ADVOCATES TEACHING OF BOXING IN OUR SCHOOLS.

Expert Believes It Should be Part of Boys' Training as is the Case in the Antipodes.

BY DE WITT VAN COURT.

Boxing has been taught in the public schools of Australia for several years. It was bitterly opposed by some at the start, but recent reports show that it has been a big success, both from a physical and moral standpoint. There is a feeling among many people in this country against boxing, especially among the mothers of young boys.

In speaking from over thirty years' experience in teaching young boys, ranging in age from 8 to 16 years of age, I will say that this is a grave mistake. Many mothers have a horror of their young sons' fighting, especially should they come running home with a bloody nose or a black eye.

Most of us agree that it is bad business for young boys to be constantly fighting and quarreling with one another.

But fighting and boxing are two distinctly different things for young boys to indulge in.

MAKES REQUEST.

Fully 90 per cent of athletic club members who have young sons, are particularly anxious for their boys to learn to box, and occasionally a mother makes the same request. The reasons are varied. Some wish the boy to learn to defend himself and others want to instill confidence into the boy. Again I hear some man say: "My boy is always fighting and I want him to learn to box, but would like to have some kid lick the conceit out of him first." So there is a varied and wide point of view.

Many mothers, in their eagerness to raise a boy right, go to extremes in warning the boy constantly not to do this or not to do that. The result is always the same. The boy grows up without any confidence in himself and seldom makes good when grown.

A SURE CURE.

Boxing is a sure cure for it all. By careful teaching and coaching, he very soon learns that he does not get hurt nearly as badly as he expected and sooner or later, confidence grows in him. Constant practice with other boys his own age show him that he must depend entirely upon himself whenever he dons the gloves for a bout. He gets no assistance from others during a bout, and boxing is the best athletic sport that brings out this point.

It has a most wonderful effect on the boy who is inclined to bully others, or be quarrelsome. A few boxing bouts with boys who know how, soon teaches him the danger and pain of a good solid punch on the end of his nose, and that there are others on earth besides himself.

MAKE IT RULE.

I always make it a rule in the gymnasium, when boys get to quarreling, to immediately take them over to the boxing ring, put on the gloves and fight three minutes with large gloves. I appoint myself referee, but never give a

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FANS ARE KEEN FOR THE BOUT.

New York Fistic Followers Desirous of Seeing Wills Meet Dempsey.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 19. — Fight fans everywhere today were discussing the story printed here on the prospects of a match between Jack Dempsey and the giant negro, Harry Wills. The dark secrets surrounding the possibilities of such a battle have caused the fight enthusiasts to lead off in a campaign which may result in a clash between the white champion and his huge colored rival.

One thing is certain in the mind of every fight lover and that is that Wills is the only man that has any right in the same ring with Dempsey. They are unanimous in advocating that Dempsey should stop picking on those soft opponents. Wills stands out, they agree, as the logical candidate to meet Dempsey and it is surprising what a large percentage of them feel that Wills has a good chance of dethroning the big Utah mauler.

Tex Rickard had in mind up to a few days ago the idea that Willard would prove the most suitable opponent for Dempsey. However, the latest returns showed that Tex had changed his mind in that direction and very wisely abandoned the idea of pitting the big Kansas farmer against the champion.

DEMPSEY ASKS FOR UNION MEMBERSHIP.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—Jack Dempsey, heavyweight champion, and his manager, Jack Kearns, have applied for membership in the newly organized National Sports Alliance, it was announced yesterday. The organization, which came into being a week ago, announced its purposes to be the protection of professional sports and sportsmen and indicated it hoped ultimately to become affiliated with the American Federation of Labor.

JURY DISAGREES IN HORSE SUIT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—The jury that heard Harry F. Sinclair's suit against James F. Johnson for recovery of $100,000 paid for Playfellow, full brother of Man o' War, disagreed and was discharged, it was announced today. Sinclair alleged Johnson had concealed from him that Playfellow was a "wind sucker" and "cribber."

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Ty Cobb Comments Sharply on the Situation.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—Baseball enthusiasts, seeking a reason for the dearth of trading of players between major league clubs which marked last week's gathering of the clans, attribute it to the high prices paid for minors which has thrown the market out of gear and has given the club owners something to think about.

The sensational sales made by Pacific Coast clubs to teams in the big circuits are believed by followers of the game to be responsible for the lack of action.

BUT ONE DEAL.

Only one deal sending a player from one major league club to another occurred during the week.

An illustration of the sentiment in regard to the decline in player trading was given by Ty Cobb when he remarked that if a man like Jimmy O'Connell, who has been in minor league baseball only two years, was worth $75,000, what was Bob Veach, a proved .350 hitter and A ball hawk, worth in the open market? O'Connell was bought by the Giants.

GIBBONS UNABLE TO PUT OVER SLEEPER.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

GRAND RAPIDS (Mich.) Dec. 19.—Tommy Gibbons, for the first time in the past year, was unable to deliver a knockout blow to an opponent tonight. Bartley Madden of New York lasted the full route of ten rounds against Gibbons, the latter, however, being given the decision of the sport writers at the ringside.

Gibbons was trying for a knockout during the entire fight, but was unable to put it across. Madden gave a wonderful demonstration of how to absorb punishment and at the finish of the fight was covered with blood.

FOOTBALL TICKETS ARE NOW ON SALE.

Tickets for the Centre-Arizona football game to be played at San Diego next Monday went on sale yesterday at various sporting goods houses, Spalding's, B. H. Dyas and Tufts-Lyon Arms Company.

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CONTI NOT IN IT WITH SCHAEFER.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 19. Jake Schaefer, world's champion 18.2 balk-line billiard champion, won the first two blocks of a 3200-point exhibition match today from Roger Conti and is leading, 800 to 247. Schaefer won the afternoon match, 400 to 152, and the night match, 400 to 95.

ANGELS TO GRAB NINE FOR STATZ.

Coast Flag Winners to Get Bunch of Players in Exchange for One.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 19.—Nine members of the Chicago Cubs are soon to feel the wafting breezes of the west coast.

This is the result of the deal engineered by officials of the northside club for Arnold Statz, the brilliant young outfielder of the Los Angeles club after several weeks of wrangling between the moguls of the major and minor clubs.

While confirmation of the deal was made today by the vice-president of the Angels, President Veeck of the Cubs said the final touches on the transaction were yet to be made.

"The deal isn't closed," President Veeck emphatically declared. "But it will be."

The Pacific Coast club gets nine players from the Cubs, according to the agreement made. Who these men will be is problematical. It seems probable the entire number will not be turned over until after Manager Bill Killefer looks the boys over at the spring training camp on Catalina Island.

PAL MOORE FINDS JOE SCHWARTZ EASY.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

DETROIT, Dec. 19.—Pal Moore of Memphis, fresh from his victory over Johnny Buff in Milwaukee, gave Joey Schwartz, the tough little Detroit bantam, a boxing lesson here tonight before the Moose A.C. Moore outpointed Schwartz in every one of the ten rounds. Pal plastered his rival with an avalanche of punches from almost every angle, but could make little impression on the Detroiter, who kept boring in throughout. Occasionally he was able to land on the Memphis flash by backing him into a corner. It was a case of clever boxer making a slower man with a punch look bad.

MANY GOLFERS IN DEL MONTE TOURNEY

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

DEL MONTE, Dec. 19.—The annual holiday golf tournaments at Del Monte are attracting a representative entry of golfers. The Christmas features will consist of eighteen holes of medal play on Saturday and Sunday, December 24 and 25. The bigger tournament over New Year's, recognized as one of the most important tournaments held during the season at Del Monte, will start on Saturday, December 31 and conclude on Monday, January 2. Besides attracting a high-class field of golfers and providing much interesting competition on the links, it is the occasion of a big celebration that adds to the pleasure of everyone.

OUCH!

BY ED O'MALLEY.

Depriving thousands of ball bugs from a month of Ruth and Meusel thrills—wonder if Landis isn't fast encroaching on his dotage?

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Our own Bull Montana has sailed for Honolulu to meet Clapham for the pogo championship of the South Sea Islands. Bull, 'tis said, carries his sheckels tied in a belt around his girth. Now it is a well known fact that Bull swims like a steam roller and loves water as much as does a rooster. Suppose the ship were to founder—ah here comes a poser. Would Bull, like Yousoff of old, cling to the belt and thereby start a night bank in some whale's dining-room or would he cast it aside and tempt the fortunes of Neptune? This should prove an abstruse a problem as that of the famous "Lady or the Tiger."

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Arnold-Arnold—sorcery of passion seems to have stultified your judgment! One more year's seasoning on the Coast would have just about rounded you out into a diamond of the purest ray serene. What was that old saying about "There are none so blind—" and so on.

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Murder in the first degree—Centre College versus the Wild Cats.

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We're not nuts over this home exercise plan. Having undergone its tortures for several weeks, lo and behold! we were cast into an awful mess of lumbago yesterday when we had to hold a ladder for ten minutes while our better eleven-tenths polished the parlor window.

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A friend of ours—an expert checker player—has turned his beard into a dope book and has really become obsessed with the idea that Tijuana is easy picking. "Oh, that this too, too solid flesh" or words to that effect.

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We still see that little Jake keeps an eye to the windward down San Diego way. Tears such as Angels weep arise at times through some of Jake's tantrums.

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Eagle birds appear to be plentiful at Tijuana judging from the list of long shots that have scampered home in front lately. To a penciler, an eagle bird is really the summit of human felicity—sort a like the first dividend you receive from your oil stock.

EARL THOMSON IS TO BE A BENEDICT.

Earl Thomson, holder of the world's record of 14 2-5s. in the high hurdles, is to marry Miss Anne Cookman of Glendale, it was announced yesterday. Thomson is a senior at Dartmouth. His home is in Long Beach, and he attended U.S.C. as a freshman, tying Fred Kelly for the world's record of 14 4-5s. that year. Thomson's bride-to-be is a school-teacher at Whittier.

SCHODER RECEIVES DEL MONTE TROPHY.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

DEL MONTE, Dec. 19.—Howard J. Schoder, one of Los Angeles' popular golfers, has just received from Del Monte a trophy that he prizes very highly. This trophy was won in a tournament during April of 1916, but through an oversight in making a record of it, the trophy has just been delivered. Howard (Stew) Dudley was the runner-up in the tournament.

ADVOCATES BOXING COURSE

(Continued from First Page.)

decision at the end of the three minutes. Make them shake hands and usually within ten minutes they are back at their play and have forgotten their quarrel. The no-decision keeps them both guessing as to who won, and they are usually careful in the future as to who starts the quarrel first.

I have never known this system to fail. They are made to strictly follow the rules of fair play and it is astonishing to see how quickly they respond.

BREAK RULES.

The hot-headed kids also come in for theirs aplenty. Many times they become so enraged in their first bouts they cry with anger and break the rules by foul methods. But the hoots and warnings from the kid audience they usually have soon shame them into taking and giving with a fairness that holds to them all through life. Mothers and fathers should think these things over. The moral effect on a boy is even better than the physical as it strengthens his mind to be all the more determined to make himself cleaner in his habits as he grows older and builds himself up physically. Let us have boxing in our public schools and plenty of it.

Applications Received for Grid Tickets.

Applications to the California-Washington and Jefferson game, January 2, from alumni, students and graduates of the University of California, are now being received at the office of the Graduate Manager, 414 Metropolitan Building, and will be accepted up to and including December 26.

Although stadium subscribers have first choice of the allotment granted California, every effort will be made to fill the applications of students and alumni in the order named. The latter cannot be guaranteed tickets but applications will be filled if possible and in the order received.

Students at the Southern Branch of the university will be given an opportunity to procure tickets in the California rooting section and general admission tickets Wednesday. Representatives of the graduate manager's office will receive applications at the Southern Branch at this time.

Wildcats to Arrive Sunday at San Diego.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

TUCSON (Ariz.) Dec. 19.—The University of Arizona football squad, which is to play the men of Centre College at San Diego December 26, will arrive at the scene of the battle next Sunday morning. The men are said to be in midseason condition. Training will be finished Friday afternoon and the team will take train for San Diego that night.

Arizona's delegation will include: Coaches McKale and Pierce, Assistant Coach Cusick, Manager Barnes, LaShelle, Capt. Woofer, Barclay, Wiley, Clymer, Smith, Clark McClellan, Sloannaker, Manso, Broderick, Hobbs, Marshall, McLaughlin, Erb, Ets, Witten, Enfield, Sweet, Crowell, Forch, Seaman, Connell, Gould, Van Dusen and Trainer Kearns.

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THE SPORT REEL
by Robert W. Maxwell

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 19.—Morris C. Rath has been blown clean out of baseball. He is through as a player and arrived at that decision before being told by the managers' union. From now on he will devote all of his time in making the natives of Philadelphia happy—but in a business way. Morris always was an easy guy to get along with, insisted on harmonious surroundings and for that reason has gone into the music business. He is dishing out records and things like that in his shop.

Morris Rath.

Rath has been second-basing all over the country for fourteen seasons. He has been with many ball clubs, but his best work was done in 1919, when he helped, more than anyone else, to bring the first National League pennant to Cincinnati. He starred in the world series, holding Eddie Collins even, and also was the leading second baseman in the league in 1920. As a reward he was shipped out to San Francisco last season and that proved to be the end.

"The cold winds from the bay just blew me out of baseball," explained Morris frankly and confidently. "I had to wear two woolen undershirts every day and the additional weight slowed me up. I also had to keep moving and play hard so I did not freeze to death, and this proved to be too much. When I left the Coast a couple of months ago I told Manager Graham that if I never saw his ball club again it would be soon enough and he agreed with me. I am on the voluntary retired list, which means organized baseball will see me no more. Fourteen years is a long time and I have had enough."

Rath was a great ball player, and no one could explain why the other big-league clubs allowed him to drift to the Coast last year. He did well in Cincinnati, finishing the 1920 season with a batting average of .267, which is very good for an infielder, and led the league in fielding with a percentage of .977. It was claimed that his legs were going back on him, but no one with a pair of burn legs could lead the league in fielding.

The little second baseman started his career in 1908 with Wilmington (N. C.) club. After that he played with Reading, and was signed by Connie Mack in 1910. He sat on the bench that season, and in 1911 went to Baltimore. He was with the White Sox in 1912 and 1913, and drifted to Kansas City the following year. From there he wandered to Toronto and Salt Lake, leaving the Utah city in 1918 to join the Navy.

Rath came back to the big show in 1919, when Cincinnati signed him to play second base. This proved to be a wise move, for Morris played better than ever before. He kept up the good work last year, and probably would have been in harness yet if he had not met those cold, penetrating winds from Frisco Bay.

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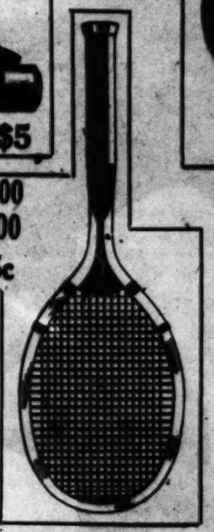
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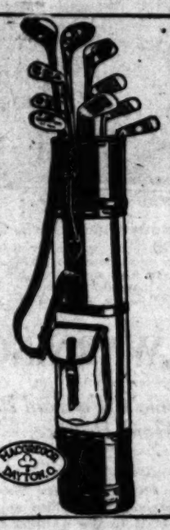
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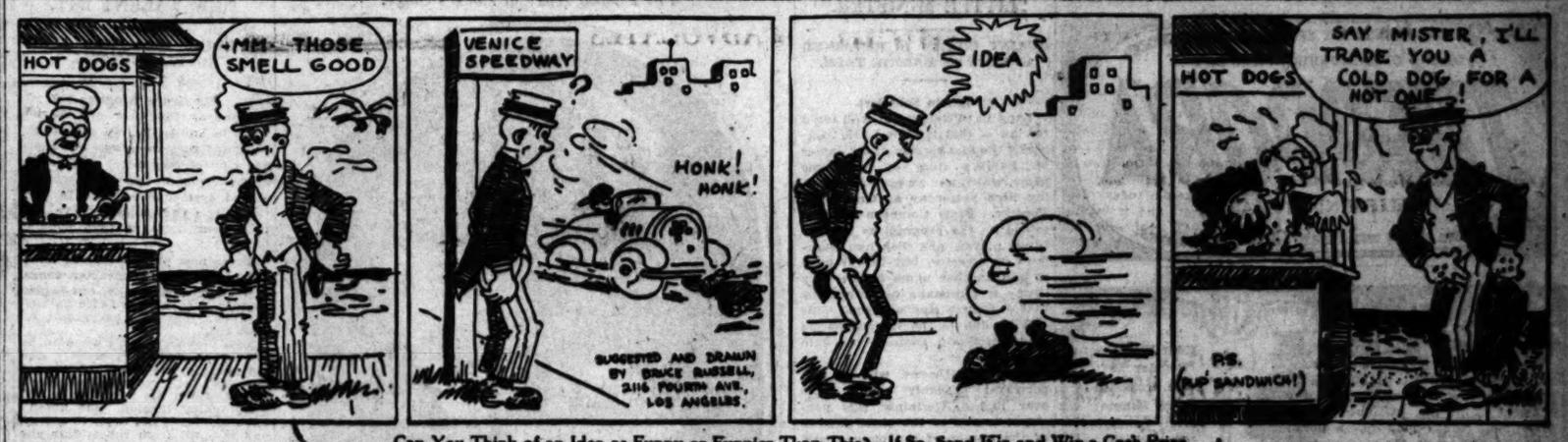

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THE GUMPS—THE MORNING AFTER THE NIGHT BEFORE

KERNEL COOTIE—PA SENDS HIS PRESENT

CENTRE'S LADS ARE FIGHTERS.

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lege, the ancient enemy of Harvard, occupied a complete section, and over them waved the banners of Centre. There was a host of southerners present, and many a hereditary foe of Harvard.

Then came Centre to the field. Fast, shifty, tiger-like, the praying colonels looked like fighting men. The Harvard giants towered over them and Harvard's confidence was not one whit dampened. But surprise after surprise followed soon, and followed fast, after the opening of the first quarter. The Centre line, which had crumpled before the terrific Harvard drive the year previously, held firm now. Harvard could not gain. Time and again the Kentucky hero, the far-famed "Bo" slipped away from the Crimson players, who were there to watch his every move, and made downs for his team.

WERE SCARED.

The score was still 0-0 at the close of the first half, but Harvard rooters were frightened, and Harvard confidence was fading fast. Centre returned with a rush, and before Harvard had fully awakened, McMillin was away! First one and then another Crimson jersey went rolling in the dirt before him—first one and then another Red player fruitlessly strove to tackle him. But it was Col. "Bo," the elusive, the dazzling, who was carrying the ball, and there was no stopping of the all-American. He swerved and dodged his way for thirty-five yards and a touchdown. There was no more scoring. There was need for no more. The game was an epic in football, the story of it will live forever in the annals of sportdom.

That is the team which will meet the undaunted Wild Cats on December 26. I say undaunted, and brother, I mean undaunted. I have seen those Wild Cats in action, I have seen them train on sagebrush and desert cacti, and they do everything to get in shape that Centre does, with the exception of the praying. But cacti conditioning is not conducive to prayer.

SEVEN COLLEGES MEET FOR CONFAB.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 19.—Faculty representatives of seven colleges in four States of the Middle West were scheduled to meet here today to form an interstate college athletic conference.

Colleges represented included Beloit, Lawrence, Carleton, Hamline, Knox, Coe and Cornell.

TEE, FAIRWAY AND GREEN.

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Pine Valley, confronts the player with the necessity of carrying 180 yards over the rough, and then a condition by which the second shot makes the hole. The green, 360 yards from the tee, is on a broad, high hill, protected by an unusually fierce trap. One cannot roll a ball to this green, but plenty of room is given for the pitch.

For the All-American third hole I unquestionably pick No. 3 of the St. Louis Country Club. This is a one-shotter of about 180 yards, with a splendid water hazard, and one must carry all the way to the green. Traps guard the green on three and one-half sides—a wonderful hole.

The fourth hole at Merion always appealed to me as a wonderfully hard par. About 420 yards, it is most difficult to get home in 2—a question of trees on the right or else too much of a hook. It takes golf to make this in 4.

Now, we are ready for a long one, and Mayfield's No. 5 answers the purpose of giving us the hardest golf we have. One can oil up his driver here and go as far as he likes. Length, about 550 yards, with plenty of troubles.

The sixth at Columbia is a testing hole of first rank. It is some 430 yards with some fair mounds along the right-hand edge. There is a boundary line and woods to the left, while the rough on the right is bad. I can assure you there were more 5's than 4's on this hole during the championship.

The seventh at Flossmoor calls for the finest of golf's delicate shots—130 yards over water. I took an 8 on it once and never missed a shot. My first two fell in the water by inches. It is most picturesque, surrounded on all sides by woods. When the trees cast their shadows across the water the hole is a jewel not only to play, but to behold, in its wonderful atmosphere of quietude and rest, on a summer afternoon.

The eighth at the National is a magnificent hole. The designer here has allowed the player his choice of two fairways. The play calls for a very stiff second to a high plateau green, which tapers off at one side. Sometimes I use a mashie here, but mostly a mid-iron. I have used a spoon, depending on the wind. The length is around 400 yards.

Personally I like the ninth hole to fetch up at the clubhouse. The newer style of course omits this, but I like it. Therefore, I pick my All-American No. 9 from Memphis. It not only is at the clubhouse, but it puts in front of the player the necessity for a real, deadstop, niblick pitch after a drive, which must be straight. The gallery on the veranda has wonderful opportunity here to watch the antics of a well-directed, kicking-back ball.

I have seen some of the very sportiest and prettiest holes in the most obscure places. The little golf course in a small town usually has its feature hole, and often it is a beauty.

Golf architects are doing wonderful things now, and I wish that I had the time and money to build a course of eighteen holes selected, each hole, from the best ones I have seen in America. Wouldn't we have fun? My selection of the remaining nine holes on my imaginary course will appear soon.

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How to Start the Day Wrong. - - - - - - - - - - By BRIGGS.

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RAIN IS GOOD FOR FOOTBALL.

(Continued from First Page.)

football those days, so Ed's act caused notice only because of its extraordinary novelty. No one else had tried it.

But perhaps too much stress has been laid on Ed's propensity for ears. He was a clever dropkicker, was Ed, and it was his boot from the 35-yard line in that particular game with L.A. High that won the game for U.S.C. No one in these parts ever thought of attempting a drop any farther away than the 35-yard line then, so Ed's boot was regarded as nothing short of a miracle.

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Metcalf of Pomona was another of the old-time miracle booters. In 1905 he won a game for his alma mater from Occidental by lifting a place kick over from the 42-yard line. This was in the closing minutes of play and resulted in a 9-to-8 score. Metcalf, a robust farmer's boy, was a prep when he accomplished the trick, it being permissible to use the academy athletes in those days.

YOUNGSTERS TO CAMP AT Y.M.C.A. SITE

Two groups of boys will enjoy the privilege of camping out at the Y.M.C.A. camp site in the West Fork of San Gabriel Canyon during Christmas week. The younger boys will have the first three days, leaving on Thursday when the older boys arrive. Arrangements should be made at once with the Boys Work Secretary. The total cost will be $5.10 including food, carfare and everything. The first group leaves Tuesday the 27th.

Theaters, Amusements, Entertainments

CALIFORNIA THEATER— Main Near 8th

THE MOST MAGNIFICENT SPECTACLE EVER PRODUCED
GRAND OPENING CHRISTMAS DAY
THEODORA
CALIFORNIA THEATER
Her love affairs would make Cleopatra jealous.

California Theatre — Better Pictures — Better Music
Smile, Laugh and Chuckle with Will Rogers as Noah Vale
Hear Elinor's Popular 50 Piece Orchestra in 20 Minute Variety Concerts Every Day in the Week
Added Attraction WILL ROGERS in Sol Smith Russell's famous comedy A POOR RELATION
"As you brew, so shall you drink." "If you can't lay eggs, don't cackle."
Fun Feature BOOTH TARKINGTON'S Boy and Girl Story "EDGAR THE DETECTIVE"
Sport Novelty "STAMINA" Football in Slow Motion

MILLER'S THEATER— Main at 9th
LOIS WEBER'S "WHAT DO MEN WANT?" | ALCO PEGGY HAMILTON'S "FASHION SHOW"

PHILHARMONIC AUDITORIUM— 5th at Olive. Tel. Pico 5464.
STARTING MON., XMAS MATINEE
BIGGEST HIT EVER IN THIS CITY
MARCUS SHOW OF 1921
WITH CHARLIE ABOT AND ENTOURAGE OF NEARLY 100
MATINEE DAILY 2:15
BEST SEATS 1.00
NIGHTS 50-75-1.00-1.50-2.00

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Magnificent revival Gilbert and Sullivan's Favorite Opera.
H. M. S. PINAFORE
All-Star Cast; Special Features
U. S. Naval Band—Naval Boxers—Marines.
Tonight and every night this week. Matinees Thurs. and Sat.
Prices $1 to $2.50, plus tax.

VERNON ATHLETIC CLUB—
BOXING TONIGHT
MAIN EVENT
AD RUBIDOUX vs. JOHNNY LOTSEY
SEMI-WIND-UP
JOHNNY TRAMBITAS vs. CHET NEFF
FIVE HIGH-CLASS PRELIMINARIES
Doyle's, 38th and Santa Fe—Gallery, $1.00; Reserved Section, $2.00, $2.50 and $3.00. Including War Tax. Section reserved for ladies. Take Santa Fe cars east on Seventh, or Vernon Ave. Cross-town.

PANTAGES— AMERICA'S FINEST SEVENTH ST. AT HILL —VAUDEVILLE
Continuous Shows 1 to 11 p.m.—First evening vaudeville at 6:30.
THE HEAVYWEIGHT CHAMP OF COMEDY
NAT "CHICK" HAINES IN "YES, MY DEAR"
Supported by a Metropolitan Cast of Cleverness and Chic.
Direct from Europe: The Kuba Quartette — An Artistic Musical Ensemble.
Clever Dancers: Daly & Berley — Dancing to Beat the Dervishes.
BARDWELL, MAYO & RENSTROM, waiting for the car.
LARETTO, the human lizard. HARRY ANTRIM, an odd fellow.
MONTY BANKS in his latest comedy.
The Monroe Salisbury players in THE BARBARIAN
An unusual picture, with Jane Novak, Lillian Leighton, Michael and Anne Cudahy, Milton Markwell, Elinor Hancock, Alan Hale and George Burrell appearing in support of Mr. Salisbury.

MAJESTIC THEATER— MATINEE TOMORROW 2:15
Mats. Sun., Wed. and Sat., 25c and 50c, Eves., 25c to $1.
THIRD BIG WEEK—Thomas Wilkes Presents
Willie Collier's Latest Comedy Success
"The HOTTENTOT"
With MARY NEWCOMB and EDWARD EVERETT HORTON

MOROSCO THEATER— MATINEE THURSDAY
OLIVER MOROSCO PRESENTS
GEO. M. COHAN'S WHIRLWIND OF LAUGHS
"A PRINCE THERE WAS"
WITH BESSIE EYTON AND GAYNE WHITMAN
Matinees, 10c to 50c. Evenings, 10c to $1.00.
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ORPHEUM— KITTY GORDON and Company in "DIVERTISSEMENTS"
The Best in Vaudeville. Orpheum Circuit.
MARY HAYNES — Exclusive Songs
HARRISON & DAKIN — Types of Us
Topics of the Day — Aesop's Fables
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Two Shows New Year's Eve, 7 and 10 P.M. MAIL ORDERS NOW
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ALHAMBRA THEATER—Now Playing— HILL NEAR SEVENTH
POLA NEGRI in "ONE ARABIAN NIGHT"

SYMPHONY— Broadway at 6th
SPECIAL LAUGH WEEK
CLYDE COOK in "THE CHAUFFEUR" — It's his latest.
HAROLD LLOYD in "I DO."

CINDERELLA ROOF— Sixth at Olive
Dance, Dine and—LIVE!
5000 SQUARE FEET OF DANCE FLOOR.
CUISINE UNSURPASSED.
RUDY WIEDOEFT'S FAMOUS CALIFORNIANS

REVIEWS.

"LITTLE MINISTER."

QUAINT CHARM IS RETAINED IN FILM OF BARRIE TALE.

By Edwin Schallert.

'Lang in th' tellin' but well tould for 'aw o' that is "The Little Minister," the film version of Sir James M. Barrie's story of the same name, which had its premier showing here yesterday at Grauman's Theater. Betty Compson is mentioned on the program as its featured player, and Penrhyn Stanlaws as director, but they'll have to add another name before very long. If I mistake not it will be that of George Hackathorne. This will be due to the impression he made as Gavin Deshart, the title character.

Mr. Hackathorne will by his portrayal probably attain fame over night. Certainly this portrayal is one of the chief sources of the humor of the picture, and that humor is the quality that principally engages the fancy of the audience.

You know, of course, that the Barrie of "The Little Minister" is a very Scotch Barrie indeed. The action is really all localized in the quaint town of Thrums, of which Babbie is the guardian angel. She is, you will recall, the daughter of the peer who is also the "bailie." She spends part of her time playing the gypsy, and takes sides even against her own father in the riot of the weavers.

Her intrigue involves the minister of the village to such an extent that he is on the point of being expelled from his church, if not arrested for conspiracy. But Babbie, it turns out, is his wife by code law of Scotland. He had passed himself off as her husband to aid her in escaping detection. The story rambles through a lot of character sketching and delightful oddities of wit. The Barrie charm is retained, especially in the plot; the atmosphere is not completely intact, perhaps; but it is truly Scotch, even, seemingly, to the natural surroundings.

I question somewhat the suitability of a theme like "The Little Minister" to the screen because of the footage required in the telling of the story, but the transcription has certainly been accomplished with a very fine certitude by Mr. Stanlaws. The characters are notably portrayed by Guy Oliver, Fred Huntly, Robert Brower, Joseph Haselton and Mary Wilkinson. Nigel Barrie presents a distinguished appearance as the captain of the red-coats. Edwin Stevens is also in the picture.

But it is Mr. Hackathorne's admirable Little Minister, and Miss Compson's Babbie, exquisite in the gypsy costume especially, that make the outstanding charm of the acting.

The toy shop prologue is not a new Grauman divertisement, but it is an entertaining rivival for the Christmas time, and some alluring novelties have been added to the presentation. Jan Rubini, the violinist, also on the program, appeals with his music.

"FOOLISH AGE" MOVES ALONG MERRILY.

What is "The Foolish Age?" Any old age at all, according to my notion and yours. Folly is no sparer of persons. A gentleman of sixty becomes infected with it just as readily as a youngster in high school. But the picture starring Doris May this week at Loew's State Theater seems to define it as the age when a young lady starts in to try to reform the world, and spread the crusade of cheer. Some young ladies are doubtless addicted to such a pastime, but mostly, according to general observation, they are concerned with less serious relaxation. However, in a picture folly may just as well be serious as frivolous, so long as it's agreeably funny. And that's what the "Foolish Age" is.

Its recipe is old, but its characters are new. It enables us to accept the ingenue in a painless manner, because she doesn't try to convince us of any sincere emotion. Her purpose in life is to amuse, and that's quite sufficient. Let the grown-ups give us the moods and tenseness.

Of course, the chief diversion in the picture is provided by Bull Montana and his pals. That was a happy thought—casting them. Montana really has a comedy talent, and a clever one. It is not disclosed to the best advantage in this picture, but it provides much entertainment.

The best thing about "The Foolish Age" is its speed. It runs right along. It has a touch of satire, a bit of burlesque, some borrowings from the slapstick that get the big laugh, and it leaves you satisfied to the extent of having seen a good show, even if its sum total of happenings doesn't amount to much more than the fluff on a nut sundae.

Doris May has apparently found herself under her new starring contract. She's alive with unrestrained gaiety. In many of the scenes she actually sparkles. A capricious little comedienne, she appears in "The Foolish Age."

The vaudeville bill may be passed as typical. If you like that sort of thing, I suppose it's what you like. There are several amusing turns.

VAN LOAN ON TOUR.

Intending to appear in person in conjunction with the premier showing of his latest picture, "Fightin' Mad," and also to act as judge of a scenario contest held by the Arizona Republican of Phoenix, H. H. Van Loan, author of "The Virgin of Stamboul" and "The Great Redeemer," left for Phoenix last night. The first prize in this contest is to be a scholarship in the Palmer Photoplay Corporation; the other prizes will total $150 in gold. Mr. Van Loan will personally present these prizes before returning to Los Angeles. Following this appearance in Phoenix, the author will probably make a short tour of California with "Fightin' Mad," having been invited to visit San Diego, San Francisco and several San Joaquin Valley towns. It is reported that his local appearance will be in the new Pantages Theater.

AWARDED SALARY.

E. A. Martin, director, was awarded a judgment of $3000 in Judge Wellborn's court yesterday against William N. Selig, cinema producer, for directing pictures and writing scenarios under a contract. Mr. Martin asserted there was $15,950 due him.

IN .. EXTRAVAGANZA .. OF .. YOUTH.

"The Foolish Age" at Loew's Stage.

Doris May.

R. L. HANDLEY CHOSEN VICTORY POST HEAD.

DEPUTY CITY ATORNEY IS THE VICTOR IN LEGION ELECTION RACE.

Ending a hard-fought election campaign in which feeling in both camps ran high, Robert L. Hanley, deputy city attorney, was elected commander of Victory Post No. 54, American Legion, last night, defeating Charles Lewis of the Llewellyn Iron Works.

Miss Rose Herndon defeated Miss Genevieve Dahy for the office of second vice-commander in the only other important contest. Henry K. Elder was named first vice-commander without contest. Benjamin H. Whittaker was chosen treasurer; Benjamin Bogardus, adjutant; Warren P. Hilt, sergeant-at-arms; A. W. Smith and Ed. Sullivan, house committee.

Of twenty candidates nominated the following nine were elected members of the executive committee: Hewett Callender, Frank Creswell, Leo D. Glaze, Harry E. Insley, Monroe Montgomery, Harry Kelper, Dr. Charles C. Stivers, Perry Thomas and Grove T. Vail.

Robert Hanley, the new commander, will succeed E. V. Rosenkrantz, retiring commander. Mr. Hanley was one of the organizers of the first Coast Artillery, regiment to be formed at Fort MacArthur during the war. He declined a commission in the judge advocate's department to enter the Coast Artillery as a sergeant major. Later he was transferred to the army intelligence service. With the rank of sergeant he was named chief operator of the Los Angeles office of the intelligence service, which position he held until the end of the war. He is a member of the executive committee of Victory Post.

WAITS TILL JURY IS SWORN; ADMITS GUILT

PRISONER CONFESSES TO THREE ROBBERIES TO SAVE SUSPECT.

Angelo Scoffani, alias Fred Layne, waited until a jury was sworn in yesterday in Judge Conkling's court before he informed the court that he wished to plead guilty to three counts of burglary. It is understood that Scoffani admitted the offenses to save E. Rogers, also accused of burglary, who will appear for trial shortly in Judge Reeve's court. It is understood that Scoffani will take the stand for the defense.

The court permitted the defendant to change his plea, and then discharged the jury. The defendant filed an application for probation. He will be given a hearing on January 10.

Scoffani admitted committing three burglaries. They were at the store of the Arrow Dye Works, 5527 Sunset Boulevard, on September 19; the store of Sam Alexander, 1847 East First street, on September 24, and the house of Earl R. Osborn, 901 West Eighteenth street, on September 26. Clyde Groman has already pleaded guilty to complicity in these charges and will have a hearing on probation today.

WIFE "TOO YOUNG."

Difference in Ages Causes Plea For Divorce.

Apparently because of a difference in their ages, Mrs. Cora L. Wood left her husband, Herman W. Wood, and yesterday he was granted a divorce in Judge Toland's court. Mrs. Wood left a note in which she said:

"I am leaving you today because I am too young for you. You don't like to go and I do, so that I think it best that we part. I leave no address, so please do not try to follow."

She wished him good luck. Mr. Wood said that his wife apparently dropped from sight.

KLAN SUIT TO BE HEARD.

The $150,000 damage suit of the Knights of the Klu Klux Klan against the Evening Express Company, charging libel, will be argued before Judge Burnell on demurrer January 9. This is the second amended complaint, and The Express has further moved to strike certain portions from it.

Comedy is Funny, but Not Musical.

The tabloid musical comedy, "Yes, My Dear," featured on this week's bill at Pantages, is neither much better nor much worse than you expect these things to be. That it is not worse is chiefly due to the fun of Nat Haines, who has a very taking way of putting over lines that are brighter with polish than with newness. The singing is very poor, the chorus commonplace, and the situations are the same old impossibilities. There is not even enough display of feminine charm to give the Broadwayite a kick for his money. So if it goes at all, credit the fact to Haines.

The Kuba quartet are excellent in places, though here and there they strain for effects that they do not quite reach—and these moments give one the fidgets. Their offering is said to be "refined," and one's irresistible conclusion is that it is too refined. But the girls are very nice to look at.

Laretto is an unusual contortionist, who contrives to give a touch of art to a type of act that is generally unpleasant to watch, and make grotesque beauty out of what always looks like self-torture.

Monty Banks is cyclonically amusing, and Daly and Berlew are equally rapid in their various dance steps. "Waiting" for the Car" starts out well, but doesn't finish on quite the key one expects. On the whole, the vaudeville is below Pantages's average standard.

"The Barbarian," photoplay feature, starring Monroe Salisbury, is decidedly moralistic, but rather beautiful in theme, and very much so in setting. The cynical may find the young hero a little too good for this imperfect world, but this is at least a novelty, and the villain is bad enough to make up for it. You may laugh once or twice in places that were not intended to be funny, but you will probably enjoy 75 per cent of the picture, and that ought to be enough for any one.

WARM GREETING FOR BURBANK COMEDIENNE.

An ovation greeted Lole Bridge when she stepped upon the Burbank stage last night after her long absence, to play opposite Al Bridge, in the Hi-Jinks latest musical production, "The Man in Black."

There could be no doubt about the genuineness of her audience's enthusiasm, and as the show progressed, the reason for it became more and more obvious. Miss Bridge was quite her old self, and went through her part with a dash that was thoroughly exhilarating.

A number of new features have been introduced into "The Man in Black," which, on the whole, gives the Burbank aggregation a better chance to shine than they have had for a long while. The chorus is not at all hard to look at, and Olga Brooks, Grace Jennings, Gene Darby and Luther Yantis all contribute greatly to the festivities.

Hunt Bandits After Robbery of Collector.

The police yesterday searched the city for three youthful bandits who early in the morning held up and robbed H. S. Wright, a collector for the Sam Seelig Company, and escaped with more than $700 in cash. The highwaymen attacked Mr. Wright on Rowan avenue and fled in a stolen automobile.

Soon after the robbery police officers discovered the automobile used by the bandits a short distance from the scene of the crime. It had been wrecked against a telegraph pole. Witnesses who were questioned by the police declared that the three bandits leaped from the wrecked machine and seized a second car standing at the curb.

Although all downtown rooming houses were searched by the police and the roads leading to the beach cities guarded by motorcycle officers no trace of the bandits had been found up to a late hour yesterday.

FLASHES.

NEW TALENT HIT.

ORPHEUM BILL HAS MANY NOVEL NUMBERS.

By Grace Kingsley.

However fond we are of old faces in vaudeville, we are always delighted with new ones; and there are a lot of very clever new people at the Orpheum this week, who all scored tremendous hits. In fact the bill is the slppiest we've had in a long time at that popular house.

These new players include Mary Haynes and her character songs, and Jack Joyce, the one-legged wonder, who dances twice as well with one foot as most people do with two.

Miss Haynes's songs seem to be of the unpublished variety, and include numbers about the 10-cent store-girl, the trusting wife, and others, which she puts over in the most telling fashion. She doesn't have to change her dress to get by, and is a hit from the minute she trippa on until she takes her funny little hat and glides off. In fact she is a riot.

Jack Joyce is a good-looking English lad, who lost his leg over in France, but doesn't use the fact to get over with, only letting it be known incidentally at the very close of his numbers. His songs all gave out before they'd let him go, and he had to sing a song without music. His jokes are English, and the good ones are too good for his audience, and the bad ones are too bad, so he doesn't score so much along this line, but his dancing, singing and personality are bullseye stuff.

Kitty Gordon is accorded the star spot, and looks stunning, sings in her old sweet, colorless voice, but one misses Jack Wilson. The act is too soprano even with Melvin Stokes, her new partner, in it. Stokes has a pleasing tenor voice, and all are in good taste in keeping to the ballad material. Vera Beresford, Kittie Gordon's daughter, is easy to look at, and dresses in good taste, daintily and pleasingly; otherwise she's not a knock-out.

Dave Kramer and Jack Boyle are a pair of sidewalk workers in some good songs, and some cerulean jokings which they don't need, as both have plenty of material without that. Their harmony is in the hit class.

A very picturesque act nicely staged is that of Sylvia Loyal and Company, in which a great flock of white pigeons are used. The birds don't do much except to circle gracefully, but they are lovely to look at. Miss Loyal does some clever juggling stunts. Open is the Knight and His Knave, in another juggling act, neat and effective.

The Lee kids continue to clean up and Charles Harrison and Sylvia Dakin are still pleasing the multitude.

"ROPES" FINE FILM WITH MISS DU PONT.

The tense and human drama, "Ropes," has been made into a picture by Universal, and is called "Flase Kisses." It has Miss Du Pont as its star, and Pat O'Malley and Lloyd Whitlock as featured players. It is on view at Tally's Broadway. Paul Scardon directed.

Barring the fact that the movement of the picture drama is too slow, and that its six reels should have been five, "False Kisses" is one of the strongest film dramas we've had in many a long day. Its initial situation, the predicament of the blind light housekeeper's wife, striving pitifully to keep her husband's condition from the knowledge of his superiors, her real devotion to her husband, the hate she has of the sea, her longing for life, her impulsive and unaccountable momentary response to the old lover of other days who invades her dreary realm, all are strikingly effective in the picture version. And very effective, indeed, is the scene in which the blind husband, recovering his sight, sees the words which the old lover has spelled out with the blocks, addressed to his wife, and reading, "Kiss me again, Jen!" Human and poignantly intriguing is the final denouement with husband and wife reconciled. "You've been tied with a rope to a blind husband!" exclaims the man. "Ropes," she answers, "ropes of love, with many strands."

Miss Du Pont has improved vastly since her first picture. Tears will be shed by many women in tribute to the scene in which her baby, born in the desolate lighthouse, dies and is buried at sea. I feel that Miss Dupont possesses a power not yet developed, but which is going to be. It's a quiet, but effective power. At present her work lacks tensity, but not that fine essential, sincerity. She has beauty, feeling and poise.

Pat O'Malley gave a very good characterization of the husband, while Lloyd Whitlock's heavy, while a thought too heavy, is one to be remembered.

"False Kisses," aside from its name, points the way to better things in films. For one thing, it is unafraid of life and its complications.

Mrs. Mayo Decides.

Mrs. Frank Mayo, wife of Frank Mayo, Universal star, known professionally as Dagmar Godowsky, has made her decision, according to her announcement of last evening. She has decided not to accept the eastern offer of a stage engagement, but will remain in Hollywood, at her husband's fireside.

SOCKS WORRY HIM.

Prisoner's Whim to Bathe in Them Leads to Disclosure.

C. G. Meyer wanted to take a bath with his socks on at the County Jail yesterday afternoon. This unusual whim instigated an investigation. The socks were yanked off and inspected. One contained a quantity of narcotics, the other $25 in currency.

Meyer was arrested several days ago by Detective Sergeants Canto and Hawtrey on a forgery charge. Action on the affair of the socks will be determined by authorities today.

TRIES TO KILL SELF.

Despondent because of ill health and lack of employment, Woody Beeba, 31 years of age, of 1056 Orange street, late yesterday afternoon attempted to end his life by slashing his left wrist. He was taken to the Receiving Hospital, and, according to police surgeons, will recover.

Theaters, Amusements, Entertainments

GRAUMAN'S RIALTO— THE WORLD'S
GRAUMAN'S RIALTO
ONE THOUSAND WATCH HIM AND TO His first appearance in L. A. has created a
GET-RICH-QUICK WALLINGFORD
A Paramount picture with Norman Kerry, Hardy & Doris Kenyon. Henri La Bonte, the

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THE LITTLE MINISTER
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Sid Grauman's spectacular Xmas Revue, "A NIGHT IN TOYLAND WITH SANTA CLAUS"—26 beautiful toys come to life. A genuine Xmas treat for the grown-ups as well as the little ones—other attractions.
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Kinema
TODAY
NORMA TALMADGE
in "The WONDERFUL
A "First National" Attraction
LLOYD "HAM" HAMILTON COMEDY, "THE ADVICE
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OEW'S STATE
NOW SHOWING
DORIS MAY
in the Hunt-Stromberg Production
"THE FOOLISH AGE"
Vaudeville—Continuous Daily 11 A. M. to 11 P. M.
Afternoons Ex. Sat., Sun. and Holidays, 50c
Evenings and Sat. Mat. 75c
Smoking Permitted in Balcony and Loge
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NOW PLAYING!
MACK SENNETT'S GREATEST
MABEL NORMAND
in "Molly O"
A DRAMA OF YOUTH AND OPTIMISM
William Robert Kane — Charles Meredith

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TRIUMPHANT FAREWELL VISIT
RICHARD WALTON TULLY'S FAMOUS PLAY
THE BIRD OF PARADISE
The Fascinating Story of a Woman's Soul—A Romance of the South Seas
Ann Reader and the HAWAIIAN SINGERS and Players
Nights, 50c to $2.00; Sat. Mat., 50c to $1.50; Wed. Mat., 50c to $1.00
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FROM THE FAMOUS NOVEL "THE MARCUS" BY WILLIAM J.
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THOUSANDS HAVE READ THE BOOK — WILL WANT TO SEE IT ON THE

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HARRY CAREY
THE FOX
SUPERBA
TALLY'S BROADWAY THEATER
MISS DUPONT
JOE MARTIN, THE MONKEY BELL-HOP
in "FALSE KISSES"

HIP—NOW PLAYING—PRICES
"GO GET HIM"
AND VAUDEVILLE
CONTINUOUS DAILY 1 TO 11: SUNDAY

BURBANK THEATER—
LOIE BRIDGE IS BACK
HIJINKS REVUES—MUSICAL COMEDY

CLEAVELAND TO WED?

Marriage License is Issued to Supposed Ex-Councilman.

A marriage license was issued yesterday to Frank L. Cleaveland, 52 years of age, and Nettie H. Herbold, 51. Mr. Cleaveland is thought to be the former councilman of that name. A Mrs. Nettie B. Herbold, widow of Emanuel, lives at 329 North Juanita street. Neither Mrs. Herbold nor Mr. Cleaveland could be located last night, but friends had set the date for the marriage.

DIVORCE SUIT DISMISSED.

Mal. Andrew granted a motion in U. S. District court yesterday to dismiss the suit for divorce brought by Mrs. Ethel Moody, from Moody, in the superior courts at the present time. Los Angeles Bar Association, the minister of the [illegible] It was so ordered.

...WED? Neither Mrs. Herbold nor Mrs. Cleaveland, the ex-convict, could be located last night, and friends had not heard of a marriage.

DISBARMENT ON RECORD.

Maj. Andrew J. Copp... motion in U. S. District Judge ...see's court yesterday, to have ... judgment disbarring him from ... Moody, from practice in the ... courts at the instance of the ... Angeles Bar Association. In the minutes of the Federal ... it was so ordered.

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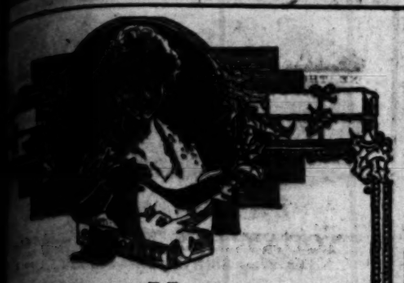

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Open Competition Plan is Held Illegal.

Decision Basis for Federal Policy in Future.

Price Agreement in Violation of Sherman Law.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—The open competition plan of the American Hardwood Manufacturers' Association was declared by the Supreme Court today a restraint on trade in violation of the Sherman antitrust law.

Department of Justice officials, commenting upon the decision, said it would form the basis for the government's policy towards hundreds of associations maintained by various industries to exchange price and other trade information. Activities of these associations have been under observation for some time, but definite formulations of policy, it had been stated by Atty-Gen. Daugherty, awaited today's decision.

In its decision the court divided six to three, Justices McKenna, Holmes and Brandeis dissenting. It sustained the United States District Court of Western Tennessee, which in April, 1920, granted an injunction restraining the association from entering into further agreements under the plan, forbidding further distribution of statistical information under the plan and directing abandonment of all "efforts whatsoever having the purpose of tendency to enhance or maintain prices."

TO INCREASE PRICES.

The opinion of the court was delivered by Justice Clarke, who described the organization of the association's statistical bureau, explaining in detail its methods for both obtaining and disseminating information concerning the trade, and asserting it was a clear combination to restrict production and to increase prices.

Concerted action among the members was obtained, he stated, not only by the distribution of reports issued under the open competition plan, but by frequent meetings and questionnaires.

Meetings of the members resulted in concerted action, Justice Clarke stated, to raise prices regardless of conditions, and the plan was termed by him "misleading and a misnomer" and "an old evil in a new dress and a new name." He added that instead of a plan to promote open competition, it operated to restrict competition. It was futile, he said, to argue that the plan was merely to furnish information which could not be otherwise obtained. The secretary of the association, through an expert statistician, he asserted, utilized replies to questionnaires and other information furnished by the members as the basis for bulletins and advice. These replies, he said, also were utilized in predicting and promoting advances in prices by withholding of products from the market awaiting higher prices.

DISSENTING OPINION.

Judge Holmes, in dissenting, stated that the methods of the association could not be objected to in "this country of free speech" as a combination in restraint of trade; that while it was a combination among sellers, it was not unlawful; that its meetings and information circulating through its bureau was open to the public; that a combination, before it can be termed unlawful, must engage in an unreasonable restraint of trade and overreach normal market conditions. In the practices of the association he saw nothing different from the results produced by the government in the distribution of market reports and other information for producers, except that the association sought to reach members "in the backwoods" to whom was not available much of the government information.

Justice Brandeis declared it to be "an extraordinary fact" that the Supreme Court should alter its decision in the United States Steel Corporation case, where 50 per cent of the industry is controlled, and in the United Shoe Machinery case, where nearly all the shoe machinery was controlled, holding them not in violation of the Sherman law, and should hold in the present case that 185 out of many thousand hardwood operators "cannot exchange information without running counter to the provisions of the Sherman law."

PACIFIC CURRENTS SHOULD BE CHARTED.

APPROPRIATION URGED BY DIRECTOR OF COAST AND GEODETIC SURVEY.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—Urgent need of Congressional appropriation for the charting of oceanic currents on the Pacific Coast is discussed in the annual report of the Director of the Coast and Geodetic Survey, made public today. The report cites as an argument for funds the "appalling loss of life and property in the wreck of the Alaska on August 7, on the California coast." An uncharted current, he said, dragged the forbound ship several miles inshore onto a reef.

Between 1900 and 1921 there were stranded or wrecked on the Pacific Coast more than 100 vessels, involving loss of hundreds of lives and millions of dollars in property, the report said.

This loss was due "to the lack of knowledge of the effects of the currents on the coast," it was explained. The director also asserted there was urgent need for more vessels, "if efficient work is to be expected from hydrographic surveying parties."

OFFICER'S TRIAL POSTPONED.

[BY A. P.-NIGHT WIRE.]

BOSTON, Dec. 19.—The trial of Joseph C. Pelletier, District Attorney, before the Supreme Court on charges of misconduct in office, preferred by Atty.-Gen. Allen, was postponed today until December 27.

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TWO ADMIT KILLINGS AND FORTY HOLD-UPS.

CHICAGO POLICE ROUND UP MEMBERS OF BANDIT GUN GANG.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 19.—Two members of a bandit gang, captured last night, have confessed to three murders and more than forty hold-ups. As they refresh their memories, the police believe, they will recall additional murders.

John Burke and George Bolen were the first members of the gun gang to be picked up. They cleared up the mystery surrounding the killing of Max Rupinski six months ago, of Alex Wittort on March 10, 1921, and of Walter C. Archibald, a yellow cab chauffeur, slain last night when he resisted them.

With Burke and Bolen were arrested George Wilson and Tong Polk, proprietor of a saloon. This evening the police rounded up Jerry Starr, the fifth member of the gang, implicated in the three murders and all the robberies by the confessions.

Robbery was the sole occupation of this gang, according to those of its members who have talked. They did not hesitate to commit murder in pursuing their industry. The saloon operated by Polk was merely a hangout and a storage dump for the burglar tools and pistols of the gang and a meeting place to plan crimes and divide the plunder.

WORK TO STABILIZE PRICE OF SUGAR.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—Efforts to stabilize the price of sugar in the United States and arrange for disposal of the existing surplus without any appreciable increase in price were continued today at a meeting of representatives of the industry and Secretary Hoover. The former included spokesmen for the cane sugar growers of Louisiana, the beet-sugar producers of the Pacific Coast and Cuban interests.

MANY JAILED IN INDIA.

[BY CABLE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

LONDON, Dec. 19.—It is announced from Bombay that fifteen prominent nonco-operation leaders in united provinces have been sentenced to from six to eighteen months' imprisonment on charges of assisting in management of unlawful institutions. A total of 121 persons have been arrested in Delhi to date.

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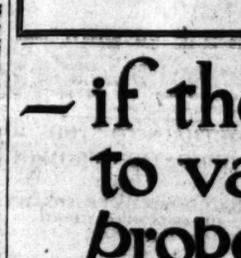

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MIDDLE WEST NEWS IN BRIEF.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 19.—Plans and specifications for a bridge across the Missouri River at Booneville costing $450,000 will be ready December 20, and bids will be advertised for shortly afterward.

The John Harris home may be preserved as a historical monument of early days in Kansas City. A delegation appeared before the Park Board Saturday proposing to purchase and move the house, provided the board would give a suitable site.

DETROIT.

DETROIT, Dec. 19.—A municipal swimming pool not far from the center of the city, which will accommodate 600 persons at one time, is one of the features of a program of civic improvement planned for next year by the Lansing City Council.

For the winter, Mrs. Mae Cole will be at the Hotel Rosslyn, in Los Angeles.

A soap box full of knives, files, hammers, pointed chisels and other weapons fashioned by inmates has been found in Marquette prison.

DES MOINES.

DES MOINES, Dec. 19.—Henry Melancota, a farmer near Alden, sold ten turkeys in the market for $30. One large turkey brought him $12. Farmers in this region are planning to raise more turkeys next year.

The Midwest Securities Corporation has purchased the Bankers' Life property for $125,000. A million-dollar apartment-house is under consideration.

MINNEAPOLIS.

MINNEAPOLIS, Dec. 19.—Plans are being made for the erection of a new college to be occupied by the Augsburg Seminary at Wood Lake, following the purchase of approximately 100 acres by the Augsburg Park Association for $100,000.

Water, fuel, shade and supervision are essential to a tourist camp site if it is to be given official recognition, the Yellowstone Trail Association decided in resolutions adopted at the annual meeting here.

INDIANAPOLIS.

INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 19.—The Lamda Chi Alpha fraternity house at Lafayette was destroyed by fire Saturday night. The loss is estimated at $20,000.

Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Johnson, 522 East Fall Creek Boulevard, left Thursday for Los Angeles, Cal.

ST. PAUL.

ST. PAUL, Dec. 19.—The State Supreme Court has affirmed the verdict for Harold Carlson, a Great Northern brakeman, for $45,000, the largest verdict for personal injuries ever passed on by the court.

Because the weather has failed to assure favorable skating and tobogganing conditions, the St. Paul Municipal Hiking Club has indefinitely postponed an outdoor sports program.

MILWAUKEE.

MILWAUKEE, Dec. 19.—That disabled war veterans under treatment at Rest Haven Sanatorium, Waukesha, have been sold large amounts of oil stock and that payments were deducted from their monthly compensation checks is charged by the State commander of the American Legion.

That there is not a single case of influenza in Milwaukee at present and that the epidemic last year resulted in practically immunizing the entire population of the city was the statement of the Health Commissioner.

OMAHA.

OMAHA, Dec. 19.—Twelve alleged members of the I.W.W. were arrested in a raid on the headquarters of the organization. All were charged with vagrancy.

Failure of the Bank of Cass County at Plattsmouth will cost the State guaranty fund from $100,000 to $125,000, it is announced.

ST. LOUIS.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 19.—A suit to contest the will of Mrs. Marguerite Betty Ghio on the grounds that at the time she made the will she was of unsound mind, has been filed at Clayton by her two sons, Martin and John Ghio. The estate is valued at $500,000.

Answer to the suit of Mrs. Amanda Belle Bushnell, divorced wife of the late David I. Bushnell, millionaire seed dealer and archaeologist, who is suing to secure one-half interest in the estate, was filed by the executors yesterday.

ARMS PARLEY IN NUTSHELL.

"Times" Is Issuing Special Edition Weekly on Historical Conference.

Every Friday during the Disarmament Conference now in progress in Washington The Times will reprint from its daily issues a special illustrated four-page edition giving all the important developments of the history-making parley of nations for the week preceding. The first was issued Friday, November 18.

The Times has arranged for exhaustive reports on the proceedings of the conference to be written by experts of international reputation. These reports, which are those appearing daily in The Times, will be conveniently arranged and edited and will all appear in this weekly summary of the conference without the interpolation of other extraneous news matter. For the many persons who desire to preserve a complete record of this peace parley of the world powers, incomparably the most important one in history, these special editions will be of immense value.

The four-page sheets will not be included in the regular editions of The Times, but are on sale at the Los Angeles main and branch offices of The Times at the nominal price of 5 cents, or will be mailed to any address on receipt of that sum in stamps. They will be furnished free to any schoolteacher on application.

GOETHALS TO STUDY IRRIGATION PROJECT.

WILL REPORT ON FEASIBILITY OF COLUMBIA RIVER PROPOSAL.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

OLYMPIA (Wash.) Dec. 19.—Maj.-Gen. George W. Goethals has signified a willingness to make a study and report on the feasibility of the Columbia Basin irrigation project, according to information today from Director D. A. Scott, who is now in Spokane. Director Scott has been in negotiation with Gen. Goethals for several weeks, but it is understood the details of the arrangement have not been completed.

The Columbia Basin project proposes to irrigate 1,753,000 acres in Central and Eastern Washington and has been under survey for some time.

SPOKANE (Wash.) Dec. 19.—A proposal for the formation of the Columbia River dam and irrigation district, comprising about 600,000 acres in Grant county, Washington, was defeated at a special election last Saturday, according to returns received today by J. T. Simpson of Ephrata, one of the petitioners for the district.

The proposed district, which would have involved an estimated cost of about $50,000,000, was opposed by supporters of the Columbia Basin irrigation project. Mr. Simpson said the vote as so far received ran about even, but that a two-thirds majority would be required for success of the petition.

WILL HONOR MEMORY OF MESSENGER DOGS.

MONUMENT TO BE ERECTED IN CANINE CEMETERY IN NEW YORK.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—A monument to perpetuate the memory of messenger dogs that served on the battlefields of France and Belgium is to be erected in the canine cemetery at Hartsdale, near White Plains, N. Y. The memorial, it was announced by plot-holders today, will cost $2500.

Designed by a well-known sculptor, the monument is to consist of a war dog in heroic size, with helmet and canteen of bronze.

The Hartsdale cemetery is said to be the only animal burial ground in the United States, with the one in Paris its only rival in the world. It covers four acres and contains hundreds of monuments, headstones and vaults to mark the last resting place of beloved pets.

OFFICIALS SAVING MONEY.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

FLAGSTAFF (Ariz.) Dec. 19.—A tendency toward economy has been manifested by the Supervisors and High School Board in connection with plans for a new high school structure. A year ago there was a vote of $275,000 for a building. The bonds have been sold only to the amount of $175,000, considered enough.

LOAN FOR FILIPINOS ADVOCATED

Gov. Wood Favors Getting Funds in America to Extricate Government.

BY ROY C. BENNETT.

[BY DIRECT CABLE TO THE TIMES.]

MANILA, Dec. 19.—Gen. Wood's plans in his conduct of island affairs include an effort to procure another large loan for the Philippine government form the United States. The funds would be used to extricate the government from financial difficulties that are becoming more and more pressing.

The general apparently is confident that he can get the Philippine Legislature to pass legislation calling for a loan, but there is well-grounded belief that difficulties may be encountered outside the Legislature. The Filipinos might consider such a request an admission of the government's inability to stand alone financially.

Business generally is very much hindered through the rising rate of exchange and the complications and uncertainties that it brings. The peso is worth only about 45 cents, gold, and the tendency is toward a still lower rate of exchange. Merchants had accepted the government's assurance of a few months ago that the exchange gradually would become normal and remain there. Now business men are caught with a low exchange and their current bills are falling due and annual settlements must be made.

Politically, Senores Quezon and Osmena are still holding each other at bay in their dispute over who shall be the party or the government leader. Osmena insists the Nacionalistas should select a president that would be a government leader with extensive powers, but Quezon, the Nacionalista leader opposes this suggestion with all his political force.

A showdown may come at any moment.

An effort to effect a compromise has failed. Senor Quezon advocated compromise through a plan to leave the government leadership in the hands of a steering committee composed of four Senators and four Representatives, and to have an all-Nacionalista Cabinet. Senor Osmena rejected the proffer and the fight continues.

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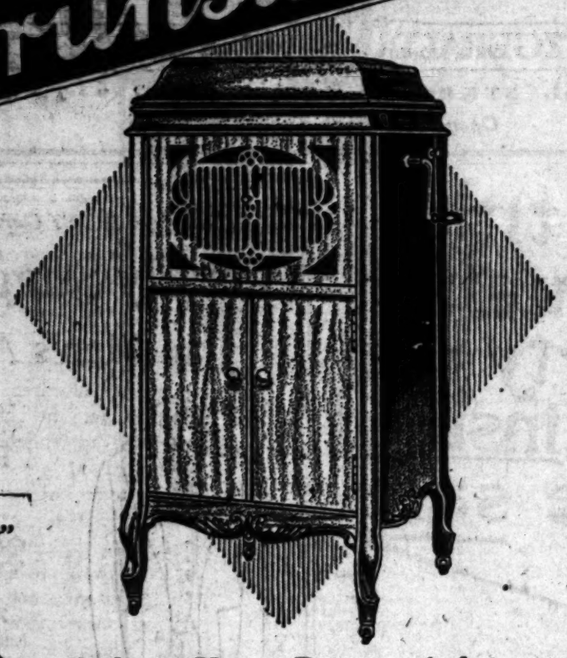

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THREE-DAY RAIN FLOODS RIVERS.

Swollen Streams Sweep Out Railway Bridges.

Heavy Downpour Inundates Much of Southland.

Storm to Continue Today, is Weather Forecast.

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ditions among public utilities were fair considering the terrific drenching that has been given all operating equipment. The Southern California Telephone Company had 4000 phones out of order last night because of wind and wetness. The telegraph was working quite well, but the electric power companies were experiencing considerable trouble on domestic lines and where motors are in use.

Mt. Wilson caught a downpour yesterday which the Weather Bureau said amounted to 9.35 inches before 5 p.m. At Bishop ten inches of snow fell during the day and it was reported that two feet of snow had fallen in the Southern Sierras.

None of the highways leading from Los Angeles have been made impassable by the heavy rains, according to a report from the Automobile Club of Southern California last night. The only road closed is the valley route detour near El Monte. During the erection of a new bridge the detour crossed the bed of the San Gabriel River, which is now bank full. No reports of road bridges being washed out have been received at the automobile headquarters.

BOULEVARD FLOODED.

Long Beach by midnight was suffering from floods. Long Beach Boulevard, the chief thoroughfare between Long Beach and Los Angeles, was covered with water in such quantities that it was impossible for automobiles to pass over a stretch of a half mile. The police in rowboats and wagons were busied rescuing families from their homes in the district four miles north of the boulevard. The water covered the floors of the houses, in some cases being two feet deep.

HELP FOR FARMERS.

Fresno reports that the rain indicates the picking up of business, lessening of unemployment on the farms and increased activity in all agricultural and mercantile lines.

The rainfall at Fresno to date is 1.64 inches, of which 1.09 inches was added during this storm and, according to W. E. Bonnett of the United States Weather Bureau, there are prospects of further rainfall during the next thirty-six hours.

A drouth that had assumed serious aspects in Kern county was broken by the present storm yesterday, when in a downpour that was general throughout the county and the San Joaquin Valley, .61 of an inch precipitation was recorded in Bakersfield, bringing the seasonal total up to 1.51 inches. Last year's total at this time was 1.31 inches.

It is the seventh rain of the year and the first natural moisture for Kern grazing ranges and orchard and farm lands since November 30.

Associated Press dispatches received late last night indicated that the rainfall was light in the northern part of the State and that there was none in the vicinity of San Francisco. Reports from several cities in the north showed rainfall ranging from a trace to .16 of an inch.

SAN DIEGO WET.

San Diego city and county have received the most thorough drenching in the last thirty-six hours that has been recorded there in years. The rainfall in some parts of the county resembled a cloudburst. Today's forecast is for continued showers.

The heaviest precipitation there was at Cuyamaca Lake, where the storm total this morning was 8.63 inches. At Warner Hot Springs the total was 7.25 inches.

Rainfall in San Diego last night was 2.25 inches for the storm, bringing the season total to 4.46 inches, 2.21 inches above normal. The total to date is almost one-half of the normal annual rainfall.

Some damage was caused by a windstorm that at times attained a velocity of thirty-eight miles an hour.

The heavy rainfall at San Diego these last two days is thought to bear out the predictions of experts stationed at the Biological Institute at La Jolla, that this would be an unusually wet season. The La Jolla scientists announced a year ago, after several years' observations, that low temperatures in the ocean during the summer invariably preceded heavy rains in the winter. Last summer's ocean temperatures were considerably lower than normal.

DEVIL'S GATE FILLED.

The Devil's Gate Dam, dry before the rains, had fifty-two feet of water in it last night, according to reports to Chairman McClellan of the Board of Supervisors. By this morning it is expected that water will be running over the wasteway.

Up to noon yesterday fifteen inches of rain fell on Mt. Wilson, or about one inch of rain every hour.

For the first time in the history of the Courthouse rain water penetrated the third floor from the entrance to the New High-street elevator and had to be swept away.

President Treat and Commissioners Delorey and McGuire of the Board of Public Works, City Engineer Griffin and Engineer of Sewers Knowlton yesterday afternoon made a personal inspection of storm-water conditions in the western end and southwestern portions of the city, and found several cases where the main outfall sewer had broken because of the immense volume of storm waters that had entered the sewer.

WORST CONDITIONS.

The worst conditions were found on Arlington street and Santa Barbara avenue, where 200-pound manhole tops had been lifted by the force of the waters, and sewage was pouring geyser-like from the sewer. The City Council has already directed City Engineer Griffin to proceed to build a new intercepting sewer to serve this section. In the vicinity of Tenth street and Western avenue all of the streets in this section were flooded from curb to curb, with storm waters which were pouring down from the higher elevations in the Wilshire district.

The Los Angeles Railway experienced but little trouble yesterday in spite of the heavy downpour. Its Monsta and Manchester line was submerged at that intersection and cars were turned back at Sixty-first street. The line was under water at Third and Gramercy, and two miles of line were detached and isolated beyond that point.

TORRENTS FORMED.

As a result of the downpour of rain in the mountains above Pasadena, torrents of water are coursing down the Arroyo Seco and other canyons out of the Sierra Madre Mountains.

Theodore Syvertson, who conducts a resort in the Upper Arroyo, says the stream is the highest in twenty years, the volume of water exceeding that of 1913-14. Several cabins, roads and bridges in the Upper Arroyo are reported washed out.

Former Congressman Charles H. Randall and Mrs. Randall, occupying a cabin in the Upper Arroyo, are reported to have fled for their lives today, when a torrent from the main stream rushing down the ravine broke over and flooded their cabin. They were forced to leave their automobile behind in their flight to higher ground to escape the flood.

Three bridges were washed out near Switzer's Camp. Lloyd Austin, proprietor of the camp, says the water there is the highest in many years. Week-end visitors got out of the mountains safely Sunday before the big rain set in. Many telephones in Pasadena are out of commission because of the wind and rain.

A carload of lime near the Los Angeles Pressed Brick Company's yards in Santa Monica was set on fire by rain yesterday morning and totally destroyed. Although heavy seas were running in Santa Monica Bay no damage was reported on the water front.

CRIME RAMPANT IN OKLAHOMA.

(Continued from First Page.)

some of the country's most prominent citizens and business men. Monday morning several more prominent men were arrested.

MINISTER ARRESTED.

A Baptist minister who has been preaching in the oil fields was arrested Saturday charged with having been a member of the masked party. A prominent Mason, who acted as pallbearer at the Sims funeral Sunday afternoon, was arrested Monday morning. Those arrested Sunday and Monday were: D. C. Harlow, optometrist; Frank Cardwell, insurance agent; W. L. T. Sliton, retired ranchman; Ray L. Beede, automobile dealer; Tom S. Shaffe, oil broker; Dan Ridpath, Jr., building contractor; Clifton Whitchurch of the Whitchurch Supply Company, and John Murray and Bill Ratliff, workers in the Hewett oil field.

Those arrested previous to that time include the Rev. Leon Julius, Baptist minister of Healdton; John Smith, Healdton butcher; J. A. Gilliam, oil man, of Ardmore; Jeff Smith, who is wounded in the left leg; Curley Smith, Walter Carrol and H. A. Hensley, all of Wilson.

Rumor is the principal disseminator of news, both in Wilson, scene of the killing, and in Ardmore, where Sheriff Buck Garrett and his force is making a clean sweep in an effort to get evidence to substantiate his clews and charges.

GARRETT IS SILENT.

Sheriff Garrett maintains silence as to his activities. To the press he gives whatever information he regards as well for the public to know, in such a manner that it will not conflict with future activities.

Date of arraignment of the arrested men has not been set, although the County Attorney says he expects it will be early this week. Information in the case is filed with Justice of the Peace D. W. Butcher.

Until the date of hearing the men will not be permitted to obtain release on bond, the attorney declares. Several attempts have been made by friends and relatives of the men to furnish bond, but this has been declined. This is merely a legal phase, the attorney explained.

Attorney J. B. Champion announced today that he had been retained by some of the men and is at work on their case.

"My clients will not waive preliminary hearing," Mr. Champion said. "We want to get this thing thrashed out as soon as possible and the sooner the better. I have been advised by the County Attorney that the hearing will be granted as soon as it is possible."

CLOSE GUARD KEPT.

The men who are being held are permitted to talk only to their attorneys, it was said at the jail this morning. They are not permitted to talk to each other. Some few have steadfastly refused to talk at all. During Sunday night, as was the case Saturday night, a close guard was kept over the jail. Deputies under Sheriff Garrett, Bud Dallew and Jailer Byrd kept close watch, for it has been hinted that a rush would be made on the building. Also rumors were rampant of numerous gatherings of men on the edge of the city.

MEN CHARGED WITH EXTORTION SCHEME.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WILLOWS, Dec. 19.—Floyd Davis, George Clark and Lawrence Hicks are under arrest here in connection with the successful attempt of spurious Federal internal revenue agents to extort $1850 and four gold watches from "China Jim," a Chinese storekeeper, whom they accused of being an illicit liquor and drug peddler. According to Sheriff Newt Power of Glenn county, Davis admitted complicity in the conspiracy and named the other two men as accomplices.

TEXAS STUDENTS GO ON STRIKE.

Action Taken as Protest Against Discharge of Principal.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

FORT WORTH (Tex.) Dec. 19.—One hundred and fifty students in the Rosen Heights public school went on strike today because the trustees had discharged a principal. The attendance is normally 350.

ROADS IN USE DESPITE STORM.

Auto Club Reports Most of Highways Passable.

Gives Notice of Dangerous Coast Route Place.

Detours Necessary on Some of Thoroughfares.

No bridges were reported down by the Automobile Club of Southern California yesterday and roads in the southern part of the State were said to be holding firm in spite of the big downpour.

A detailed report of the road conditions in Southern California, furnished by the club, follows:

Ridge Route—Heavy rains occurred Sunday, Sunday night and yesterday; wind was blowing hard; the road is entirely open as far as Bakersfield.

El Monte Boulevard—The detour around the bridge construction at the west city limits of El Monte through the river bottom is closed. It is necessary for motorists in driving east to El Monte to turn to the right on San Gabriel Boulevard and thence to the left on the dirt road, which was signed by the Automobile Club Monday, crossing the Lexington Wash on a bridge and going into El Monte from the south.

COAST ROAD.

San Francisco Coast Road—The Automobile Club's Santa Barbara office reported at 10 a.m. yesterday that with the aid of chains the detour just north of Goleta is passable, but that if the rain continues automobiles will have some difficulty. It is also reported that the Alisal grade north of Gaviota is extremely poor but cars are coming through by the use of chains. The road four miles west of Camarillo is reported submerged and dangerous. Motorists should turn off at Camarillo and take the county highway as far as Oxnard.

Big Bear Lake—The Rim of the World, Mill Creek and City Creek roads are closed due to the storm of the 18th and 19th insts. The desert route from Victorville to Big Bear is open but very muddy at Johnson's grade. The use of Hesperia cut-off is not advisable on account of water in the Mojave River.

San Bernardino—It is reported from San Bernardino that slides which occurred at 2 p.m. yesterday temporarily closed the Cajon Pass, thus cutting off travel on that route to Big Bear Lake. This condition may be eliminated by noon today, but motorists are advised to call the Automobile Club office before starting out. A road car left the office at 5 p.m. yesterday to ascertain the extent of damage.

SNOW IN ARIZONA.

Flagstaff, Ariz.—It is reported from Flagstaff that one inch of snow and rain fell Sunday night. It was still raining at 3 p.m. yesterday and roads were reported very muddy.

Banning—At 4 p.m. yesterday it was reported from Banning that although it had rained hard all Sunday night and yesterday, cars were getting through to Palm Springs and Riverside, but that roads were very muddy.

San Juan Capistrano—Slides occurred yesterday along the ocean south of San Juan Capistrano. Travel is not affected. The State highway crew at 2 p.m. yesterday was removing that portion of the slides extending partly over the highway. It was expected that the road would be entirely clear of all slides before evening.

San Diego—The automobile club office at San Diego reported yesterday that the storm which raged all Sunday night broke at 8:30 a.m., yesterday and at 11 a.m. the indications were that clear weather would continue. Motorists coming from the Imperial Valley report no difficulty on Mountain Springs detour.

Los Angeles-Mojave road—The roads are paved between Los Angeles and Lancaster. A detour is not advisable north of Lancaster. The best route is west to Willow Springs Road, thence north through Willow Springs to Mojave.

LEGION TO SUE GERMAN NEWSPAPER

Libelous Article Alleged to Have Appeared in the "Staats Zeitung."

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 19.—Following publication of an alleged libelous article in a recent issue of the Illinois Staats Zeitung, a German-language newspaper, a suit for $100,000 damages will be filed tomorrow morning by attorneys representing Blackhawk Post No. 107, American Legion, it was announced tonight.

"The basis of the action," Attorney Edmunds asserted, "is a libelous article published by the Staats Zeitung in its issue of Dec. 12, 1921, alleging that the American Legion is an instrument bought with British gold to suppress truth, to gag freedom of conscience, to beat down free expression of opinion and to betray American organized labor.

"It alleges that those members of the Legion who volunteered for military service in 1917 were the refuse of the nation, and that those members of the Legion who did not volunteer were simply conscripts who obeyed the call to arms under hated compulsion and were unable to show patriotic zeal.

"It alleges that the majority of volunteers were 'tramps, vagabonds and bums, who placed the American uniform only a shade higher than the garb of the prison house, and that the patriots of the Legion are today a cross for America to bear. The entire editorial, which is somewhat lengthy, is written in a similar strain."

TO REDUCE CORN ACREAGE.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 19.—Reduction of the corn acreage in Illinois, Iowa, Indiana, Missouri and Kansas has been voted by the State farm bureau federations, according to an announcement today from the executive committee of the Illinois Agricultural Association.

JAP SOCIALISTS ARE ARRESTED.

Over Twenty Held for Trying to Spread Radicalism Among Soldiers.

[BY A. P. CORRESPONDENCE.]

TOKIO, Nov. 23.—More than twenty Socialists, accused of attempting to spread radical doctrines among soldiers, were arrested recently at Otsuka, an army camp for military maneuvers. The police are investigating the Otsuka Socialists to determine whether they were connected with the recent flood of radical literature that deluged the principal cities of Japan.

NEW YORK AS WET AS YEARS AGO.

Prohibition Agents Learn Plenty of Bootlegging in Their Campaign.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—General agents on the staff of E. C. Yellowley, head of the general prohibition agents in the United States, who have been in this city since last August, with their work now virtually over here, feel that only a start has been made. They leave this city with a much greater knowledge of bootleggers, bootleg operations and unfaithful government employees than they ever dreamed they could obtain.

"Prohibition is simply farcical," is the conclusion reached by one of the investigators. "It appears," he said, "that we are just about a hundred jumps behind the violators of the law all the time. We get a few violators here and there, and in the number are included some more or less prominent persons and places, but there is so much to do that it sometimes seems impossible to do it all. I don't believe New York will ever be dry."

"Give me the money," said another agent, "and I'll dry up the place in a jiffy. I will make the city as tight as a drum. But it will take money and plenty of it. This is especially true when we hit the fashionable places, where a $50 bill slips away almost before you know it. New York can be made dry, but it will take a great deal more money than the government will ever consent to spend."

The crusade this agent would put on would be one the like of which has never been attempted anywhere. He would pick out hundreds of fine-looking men, put them in good clothes and train them in arts and graces. There would be no trouble in getting them in anywhere at any time—some of them at least. He would have them visit all the high-class places where liquors are thought to be on sale. He would have some arrangements made by which at least one representative could attend dinners at which liquors might be served. All the agents would be liberally supplied with money, with instructions to use it freely, but to get results. Then he would have several hundred more men to look after the saloons, grocery stores and other places. All the agents would simply be rolling in money, so that there could be no temptation to take "a hundred to fix it up."

REVOLUTION HAS BROKEN IN PORTUGAL

Battle Begins With Firing Along Tagus River; Dead and Dying Numerous.

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

LONDON, Dec. 19.—A revolution has broken out in Portugal, according to a dispatch to the Daily Chronicle from Paris. It began with cannonading along the Tagus River. Severe casualties have resulted to both sides in the controversy.

The hospitals are crowded with wounded and dying. The dispatch adds that Cunha Leal, who formed a temporary ministry last week, was attacked in the Carlos barracks, and he and his followers were compelled to retreat.

The fate of the Premier is not known.

Veterans to Meet in New Orleans.

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

PARIS, Dec. 19.—The Veterans' Congress yesterday chose New Orleans for its next convention in October, 1922. The congress appointed an economic commission to further business relations between the veterans of the allied countries. Another commission was appointed to study exchange.

STORM WRECKS HARBOR BOATS.

Fifty Sailors Imperiled as Craft Goes Ashore.

Warships Virtually Cut Off from Mainland.

Rear-Admiral, Many Gobs Can't Reach Vessels.

Storm conditions at Los Angeles Harbor from Sunday night to late yesterday afternoon played havoc with small Navy craft plying between the battleships and the shore and meant a twenty-four-hour extension of shore leave for more than 500 sailors.

A motor sailer, belonging to the dreadnaught Oklahoma, and carrying about fifty sailors ashore, became unmanageable as she entered the main channel and went ashore on Terminal Island from where the men in the boat were forced to wade ashore. They were brought to San Pedro in water taxis. No one was injured.

Two lighters, used by the harbor engineers for hauling rock, went ashore just before daylight on the beach east of Fish Harbor.

Rear-Admiral Charles F. Hughes, commander of the Seventh Battle Division, was forced to spend the night ashore following his return from San Francisco. His motor barge was unable to make the gangway of the Arizona and he returned to San Pedro.

EXTENDS LEAVE.

Upon his return to the landing after his unsuccessful attempt to reach his ship Admiral Hughes issued orders extending for twenty-four hours the shore leave of all men then on shore who belong to the five battleships anchored beyond the protection of the breakwater. These ships are the Arizona, Oklahoma, Nevada, Mississippi and Texas. During the night and yesterday morning the ships rolled heavily, their boat booms at times dipping into the sea.

All gangways aboard the ships were hauled up early yesterday and the few officers and men whose duties made it necessary for them to leave or board the ships, were forced to use the sea ladders.

Virtually all small boat traffic between the ships and the shore was at a standstill before 10 a.m. yesterday, the commanders of the various ships directing that the boats cut loose from their booms and go into the main channel of the harbor for protection.

WAVES HIGH.

A southeast wind coupled with high tide brought the water in the main channel up to within a few feet of the wharves at the Fifth-street landing in the morning. Heavy seas lashed about the big lighthouse at the end of the breakwater and poured over the latter. Going aboard the ships that lay at anchor even within the protecting arm of the breakwall proved an arduous task.

Cold Weather Hits Northwest; Heavy Snow.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

DENVER, Dec. 19.—Temperatures ranging from 5 to 15 degrees below zero in Montana, and zero to 10 degrees below in Northern Wyoming, and Western Dakotas, were reported to the Weather Bureau today. That territory and the Canadian Northwest, where the mureury is down 30 degrees below zero at some points, is having its coldest weather of the winter.

Cold wave predictions for Eastern Colorado tonight and Eastern New Mexico tomorrow were sent out by the forecaster. Heavy snowfall is predicted.

According to the forecaster, a forty-eight-hour wind prevailed at Modena, Utah, yesterday. Heavy snow is reported today in Northern Wyoming, and in the greater parts of Montana and the Dakotas.

PLEADS GUILTY TO CHARGE OF MURDER.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WAUKON (Iowa) Dec. 19.—Earl Throst, confessed slayer of Inga Magnuson, a school teacher near Dorchester, last Monday, pleaded guilty to a charge of first-degree murder before Judge Taylor in the District Court here this morning. He will be sentenced the latter part of the week.

Throst had confessed that he beat the teacher to death with a club in the basement of the school after a quarrel last Monday. He claimed that she had broken her promise to marry him.

TO RATIFY TREATY SOON.

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

BOGOTA (Colombia) Dec. 19.—The Colombian Congress is expected to ratify the treaty between the United States and Colombia this week.

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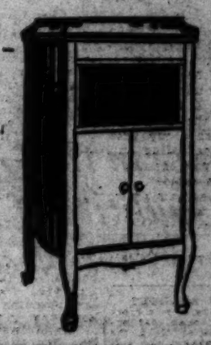

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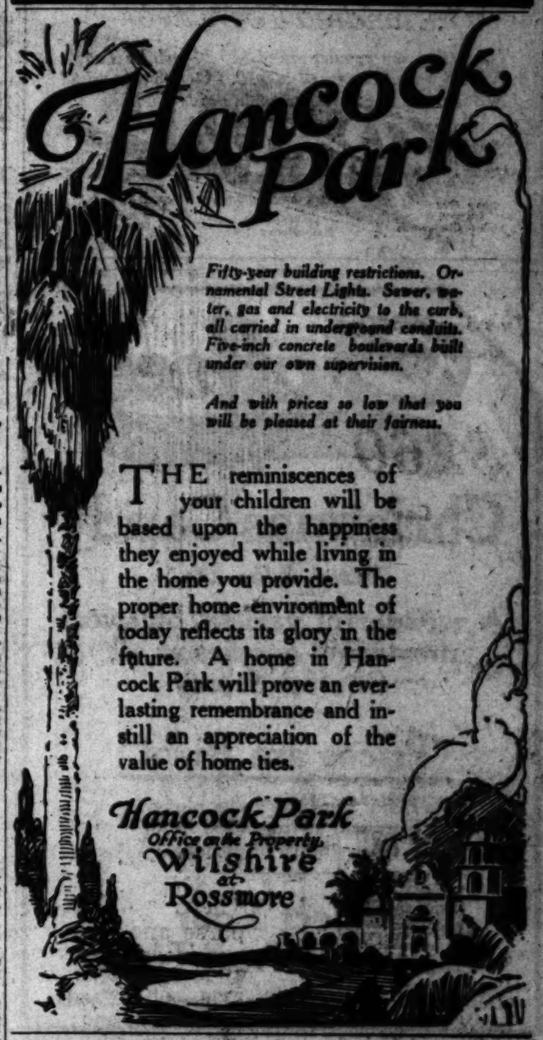

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News of Southern Counties.

PLAN TO AID "DINKY" CARS.

Conductors Sell Street Car Tickets on Curb.

Yeggmen Actively at Work in Crown City.

Pasadena Still Struggles With Goat Question.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

PASADENA, Dec. 19.—Street-car conductors were peddling street railway tickets on the principal downtown corners in Pasadena this evening.

The stunt is a new one inaugurated by the Pacific Electric railway to facilitate the traffic of the one-man dinky street cars, particularly during the rains.

The idea is for street-car patrons to buy their tickets, get their change and transfers from the mobile conductors on the corners before they board the cars, thus relieving the motorman-conductor of each dinky of these transactions, which take considerable time, during which the car is at a standstill and perhaps is blocking traffic behind.

The public took enthusiastically to the new plan.

STORES BURGLARIZED.

Two Pasadena business establishments were burglarized some time during the week-end. Women's blouses and sweaters were stolen from the Newport blouse shop. Gerlach's oriental art shop on Colorado street was entered but it is believed that the burglar was frightened away, after gaining entrance through a rear window. The proprietor, reporting the matter to the police, said nothing was stolen.

Ernest Crosher, a druggist, was held up by motor bandits while going home last night and robbed of $175. The robbers drove a Ford car. The robber craft came alongside and one of the two bandits jumped on the running board of the Crosher car, commanding the occupant to deliver his valuables.

GOAT CASES DEFERRED.

Another continuance has been granted in the latest cases for alleged infraction of Pasadena's famous antigoat ordinance. The cases of Mrs. Albert Luscher and Mrs. J. G. Mathews, set for today in Police Court, were put over until Friday morning at the request of J. G. Rossiter, attorney for the defendants.

RABBIT SHOW.

This season's rabbit show of the Southern California Breeders' and Fanciers' Association will be held in Pasadena, December 28, to January 2, inclusive, it was announced by J. T. Jenkins, president of the society. Quarters for the show have been engaged on West Colorado street.

This week more than two hundred gift seekers daily will visit my Pasadena shop. I can serve everyone easily if some will come early—any time after 8:30. You never saw a more beautiful selection of useful gifts at reasonable prices. Grace Nicholson's Famous Oriental Shop, 46 N. Los Robles ave.—[Advertisement.

Make reservations now at Hotel del Coronado for Xmas. Phone M. 3917.—Advertisement.

AMUSEMENT MEN WATCHING VENICE.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

VENICE, Dec. 19.—Thornton Kinney, president of the Abbot Kinney Company of Venice, has returned from a three weeks' trip East more heartily enthusiastic and optimistic over the values and development possibilities of the whole Santa Monica Bay District than ever. The trip was made principally to attend the convention in Chicago of the National Association of Amusement Parks. Those amusement men, said Mr. Kinney, are all alert to the progress of the West and nearly every large amusement concern in the country is watching Venice with great interest.

Kentucky Centre College plays Arizona College Dec. 26th. See Coronado Agency, 511 Spring.—[Advertisement.

SMALL INJURY IS CAUSE OF DEATH.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SANTA BARBARA, Dec. 19.—A slight scratch on the face brought death to Dora Margaret Bryson, beautiful 18-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Perry Bryson of Salt Lake City. The girl came here from Utah three weeks ago to visit her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bolton, and last Monday slightly scratched a small pimple on her face. She put a cosmetic over the injury to attend a dance. Next day blood poisoning developed and despite all that physicians could do to stay the progress of the poison it spread rapidly and she died last night. The remains were started for Salt Lake City tonight.

Cut cost of living next two or three months. Special rates. Merritt Jones Hotel, Ocean Park.—[Advertisement.

FRUIT SHIPMENTS BRING BIG PRICES.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

PORTERVILLE, Dec. 19.—The peak of the orange shipment in this section of Tulare county is passed. Two of the packing-houses have closed and some will run only part time until late in January, completing the pack as the fruit comes in.

Prices have been fine, much better than last year. Highest price reported was for Success fruit in New York at $7.90 and $8, while ordinary fruit of the last few days has brought $4.50 f.o.b. good, $5.75, and best sold in eastern markets for around $7.50 and $8, according to the Tulare County Citrus Fruit Exchange.

About 800 cars have been shipped by them this season with about twenty-five or fifty more to go.

Go to Coronado for football.—[Advertisement.

TEACHERS' INSTITUTE.

Educators Hold Annual Meeting in Santa Ana.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SANTA ANA, Dec. 19.—More than 700 Orange county schoolteachers were in attendance at the annual institute that opened here today. The session will last three days and precedes the twenty-eighth annual convention of the southern division of the California Teachers' Association to be held in Los Angeles, Wednesday evening, Thursday and Friday.

Speakers at the session today included Elwood Cubberly, dean of the school of education at Stanford University, Will C. Wood, State School Superintendent; Dr. E. R. Snyder, State Commissioner of Vocal Music, and Dr. Charles A. Prosser, director of the William Dunwoody Industrial Institute.

On the program for tomorrow are Frederick Warde, famous Shakespearean actor, Dr. Charles H. Judd of the University of Chicago, Fred M. Hunter, superintendent of Oakland city schools, and Dr. Walter A. Jessup, president of the University of Iowa.

Section meetings will be held Wednesday morning and an address by Stanley B. Wilson of the State Board of Education will be the feature of that session.

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OIL WORKER KILLED BY ELECTRIC WIRE.

HIGH VOLTAGE LINE BRINGS DEATH TO POPULAR BALL PLAYER.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

BAKERSFIELD, Dec. 19.—John Edward Mutz was electrocuted this morning at 6:30 o'clock at the Associated Oil Company's headquarters, in the Kern River fields, when he came in contact with a live electric wire, which had fallen during the storm.

Mutz, who had been prominently identified with valley baseball for years, was instantly killed and his body lay in the muddy road for some time before fellow-workers discovered it. He was going to work, from his home, Oil Center, to the company garage, at headquarters proper, a distance of 400 yards, when he was felled by the treacherous current.

It is believed that Mutz, strolling down the road, ran into the wire and unconsciously placed his left hand on it to raise it, so that he could pass, thereby establishing the contact. The wire usually does not carry enough voltage to cause injury, but today it fell directly on a high voltage wire, carrying a "death load," according to electricians. The theory that Mutz, believing it to be a safe wire, and not observing the second strand, thought nothing of raising it so he could pass, has been advanced. His left hand was incinerated.

Mutz was employed as a truck driver, and was on his way to the garage to get his truck, when overtaken by death. He is survived by a wife and two children, living at the Associated headquarters lease. He was 25 years old and a member of the Elks and Knights of Columbus lodges. To his friends and intimates he was known as "Eddie" Mutz. Last year he played on the Associated baseball team. He had previously played on the Elks' ball team of past years.

Reserve tables now for Christmas dinner. Silver Peak Guest Ranch. Tel. Pomona Sub. 28.—[Advertisement.

NO FLORAL FLOAT.

Long Beach Not to be Represented At Pasadena Show.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

LONG BEACH, Dec. 19.—For the first time in more than a decade Long Beach will not have a float entered in the Pasadena Tournament of Roses, it was learned today. The explanation offered is that the Chamber of Commerce which recently boasted of a membership of 2000, with annual dues amounting to $50,000 is "broke."

Long Beach always entered its float in the big floral parade under the auspices of the chamber. Instead of a float it is announced that Long Beach will be represented in the tournament parade by the municipal band, which is customary, and a decorated automobile conveying city and Chamber of Commerce officials.

Many business men who contribute their annual quota for the upkeep of the Chamber of Commerce expressed themselves today as anything but pleased at the turn of affairs.

Every attraction at "Coronado."—[Advertisement.

BACK FROM RUSSIA.

Mercy Workers to Spend Holidays at Venice.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

VENICE, Dec. 19.—Miss Gertrude Anthony and Mrs. Amy Burt of 703 Westmore avenue, Venice, are returning home after spending more than two years among the needy of tran-Caucasian Russia and have landed in New York.

They are expected to arrive in Venice about the middle of this week and will spend the holidays with their brother, Arthur D. Anthony.

According to an interview given by the women in New York, conditions in the republics of Armenia and Georgia are nearly as bad as they were two years ago. In Russia, too, there are many starving in spite of the efforts of the American Relief Committee and unless the work is continued many will starve in the next few months.

The experience of the two women in the Near East had been varied, including everything from the care of orphaned children to the handling of food relief trains. For the last year they have been in charge of the orphan and industrial work in Turkey.

Hotel del Coronado, the center of holiday festivities. Kentucky football team staying at hotel.—[Advertisement.

OFFICERS SEEK LOCO MEXICAN.

All-Night Card Party Ends in Near-Riot.

Three Guests Injured by Gunshot Wounds.

Accused Man Flees from Home in Santa Monica.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SANTA MONICA, Dec. 19.—Officers Sandlin, Carrillo and Bray of the Santa Monica police force rushed to Los Angeles early this afternoon armed with a warrant for the arrest of Leon Gomez, charged with seriously wounding three men early Sunday morning following an all-night card party at the Gomez residence, 1736 Twenty-second street. The officers are confident of finding the man they seek but up to a late hour had not returned.

As a result of the party three men lie seriously wounded in the County Hospital, three men and a woman are held as witnesses by Santa Monica police and Gomez has fled in company with one of his sons.

Guadalupe Moreno, aged 30, of 1731 Twentieth street, Esteban Casillas, aged 28, of 1730 Twenty-second street and Felix Casillas of the same address are the wounded men. The first two mentioned may not live.

Andre Gomez, aged 32, son of the man said to have done the shooting, Rosenda A. Gomez, 36, wife of the accused, Jose Cisnero, 23, and Basilio Avorea, 28, are held by the police as witnesses.

At 8 a.m. yesterday Capt. Webb and Officer Miller were called by City Physician Hodkinson to 1731 Seventeenth street, where Guadalupe Moreno lay wounded. A bullet from a thirty-eight caliber revolver had entered his abdomen and passed downward lodging in his hip. Dr. Hodkinson pronounced his condition as critical.

Moreno told officers details of the affair. The two Casillas were found wounded at their home late last night. Esteban had a bullet enter his back near the shoulder blade, which is believed to have pnetrated his lung and lodged in his chest. Felix, also shot in the shoulder blade, is believed less seriously injured, the bullet lodging in his neck.

Police are investigating and have learned Gomez went amuck and started by shooting through the ceiling. He then turned his weapon, according to victims, on human targets.

Gomez is described as 44 years old, six feet tall, weighing 185 pounds. He wore blue overalls, black sombrero, high peaked, with a horse hair band and a mackinaw. He limps perceptibly.

Todd's ambulance took the wounded men to the County Hospital. The police found six empty thirty-eight caliber shells in Gomez's bedroom and some unexploded cartridges. The man evidently reloaded his weapon before making his escape.

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Nuts in Cream (2 pounds)
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LIVE-STOCK MARKETS AT VARIOUS CENTERS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 19.—Hogs (head grain fed.) 125 to 175 pounds, 8.00; 175 to 225 pounds, 8.50.

Cattle on feed grass weight; steers, good, 6.50; medium, 6.00; cows, good, 4.00; medium, 3.50; bulls and stags, 3.00; calves, 125 to 150 pounds, 8.00; 150 to 225 pounds, 7.00.

Sheep; steers, $3.50@4.00; lambs, 7.50@8.00.

CHICAGO, Dec. 19.—Cattle, receipts, 28,000; few sales and shades, steers and bulls, 25 cents higher; quality plain; bidding lower on real calves; stockers and feeders steady.

Hogs, receipts, 48,000; around 10c Saturday's best time; later steady with Saturday's average; bulk 160 to 240-pound average, 8.10@8.20; top, 8.20; 150 to 160-pound averages, 7.60@7.90; light lights and pigs up to 7.25; pigs, mostly 10 to 15 cents lower.

Sheep, receipts, 21,000; all classes opened about steady; fat lambs to packers early, 9.75@10.25; good to choice lambs, 9.25; light fat ewes, 5.00; good corn-fed feeder lambs early, 9.75.

OMAHA, Dec. 19.—Hogs, receipts, 4500; 10 to 20 cents higher; bulk sedlings and light, 6.60@6.65; top, 6.75; packing grades, 5.60@6.50.

Cattle, receipts, 4000; slow; all classes generally steady.

Sheep, receipts, 5500; killing classes, slow; early sales, steady; top lambs, 10.00; feeders, firm; feeding lambs, 9.50.

ST. JOSEPH (Mo.) Dec. 19.—Hogs, receipts, 8000; generally steady; top, 6.65, bulk, 6.55@6.50.

Cattle, receipts, 1200; steady to 25 cents higher; steers, 5.00@9.75; cows and heifers, 3.25@6.50; calves, 4.50@7.00.

Sheep, receipts, 1500; steady to 25 cents higher; lambs, 9.10@10.25; ewes, 3.00@4.25.

SOUTH ST. PAUL (Minn.) Dec. 19.—Cattle, receipts, 4200; market generally steady to strong; grass steers, 5.00@10.25; no good or choice beef steers here; Best today part loads and individuals selling 8.25 to around 9.00; bulk, 6.00@8.00; canners and cutters, mostly 1.75@2.75; bulk, 2.00@2.50; veal calves, 6.00@8.00; better grade vealers, generally 7.00@7.50; early sales stockers, 5.00@5.75; feeders, 5.50@6.00.

Hogs, receipts, 9000; good hogs, mostly steady; others closing dull; easy; few lights and light lights, 6.90@7.10; bulk, 7.00@7.10; top, 7.10; packers top, 6.70; packing sows, slow; good grades, 5.25; pigs strong to 25 cents higher; best, 7.00.

Sheep, receipts, 15,000; sheep, steady; most fat native ewes, 3.00@3.75; lambs, steady to 25 cents lower; fed wethers, 8.00.

PORTLAND (Or.) Dec. 19.—Cattle, steady; receipts, 1582; choice steers, 6.50@7.00; medium to good, 5.00@6.50; fair to medium, 5.50@6.00; common to fair, 4.50@5.50; choice feeders, 5.00@5.50; fair to good, 4.50@5.00; choice cows and heifers, 4.75@5.50; good to choice, 4.00@4.75; fair to medium, 4.00@4.50; common cows, 3.00@4.00; canners, 1.75@3.00; bulls, 3.00@4.00; calves, 6.00@7.00; stockers, 3.00@4.00; feeder steers, 5.00@5.50; medium, 4.00@5.00; heavy, 3.50@6.00.

Hogs, 25 to 40 cents higher; receipts, 980; prime light, 6.50@6.65; smooth heavy, 200 to 250 pounds, 6.00@6.00; 300 pounds and up, 6.00@7.00; bulk, 6.00@6.50; packing sows, 4.50@5.50; feeders pigs, 6.00@6.25; stags, 4.50@5.50.

Sheep, steady; receipts, 3600; most of mountain lambs, 8.50@9.00; best yearlings, 8.00@8.50; fair to good, 6.00@8.00; culls, 4.50@6.50; Eastern Oregon feeders, 6.00@7.00; light yearlings, 6.00@7.00; best wethers, 5.00@6.00; heavy, 4.00@5.00; ewes, 4.00@5.00.

MARKETS DIVISION DAILY QUOTATIONS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 19.—Apples, 2½ and 4-tier, 1.40@3.50; cases, 2.00@3.00; oranges, navels, 4.00@5.50; lemons, 4.00@4.50; grapefruit, 3.00@6.00; grapes, crate, 1.75@2.00; watermelons, box, 6.00@7.00; pears, box, 2.00@6.00; strawberries, small crate, 12.00@3.50.

Artichokes, can, 14.00@18.00; string beans, 20@22; carrots, dozen, 50; celery, crate, 1.50@2.50; cucumbers, small box, 1.75@2.00; eggplant, pound, 4@6; lettuce, crate, 1.25@2.75; mushrooms, pound, 30@40; olives, pound, 60; onions, green, hundredweight, 2.50@4.25; peppers, 15@20; potatoes, 1.00@2.00; pumpkins, each, 15@1.00; rhubarb, box, 1.00@1.75; squash, lug, 1.50@2.25; sprouts, pound, 6@7; tomatoes, 1.25@3.00.

Los Angeles Grain Exchange.
DAILY BOARD QUOTATIONS.

Arrivals—Wheat, 7; barley, 9; corn, 13; oats, 2; milo maize, 12; feed, 17; bran, 1; hominy, 2; rice products, 5½ cocoanut meal, 1; cottonseed products, 18; total, 90; hay, 42.

BARLEY—100 TONS, FUTURES.

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December	1.32	1.37
January	1.33	1.35

SUPPLIES ARE LIGHT DUE TO WET WEATHER

STRING BEANS, ONIONS, LETTUCE, SWEET POTOTOES ADVANCE SLIGHTLY.

Rainy weather caused a shortage of supplies at the local produce market yesterday and prices were firm in nearly all lines of fruits and vegetables.

String beans advanced to 20 and 22 cents a pound and limas to 16 cents a pound. Lettuce brought a price of $1.75 to $2 a crate, with the poorer grades selling at $1 to $1.50.

Onions are continuing to advance, Stockton White, Globe ranging from $6.75 to $7.25 a hundredweight, and the best brown onions selling at $4.75 to $5.25. The market on peas was strong, the best quality bringing from 19 to 18 cents a pound.

Special brand Burbank potatoes sold at $2.50 to $2.75, while the best Idaho Russets sold at $2.25 to $2.50 a hundredweight. Summer squash from Imperial appeared on the market and brought a price of 25 per pound. Sweet potatoes advanced slightly, No. 1 stock ranging from $2.00 to $2.25, and No. 2s at $1.25 to $1.75. Cauliflower was weaker and the best sold crates sold at $2.25 to $2.50.

DAILY MARKET REPORT.

These are the actual prices obtained yesterday by Los Angeles wholesalers from their sales to retailers, peddlers, hotels, restaurants, cafeterias, etc., as compiled by the United States Bureau of Markets. Terms—Cash on the wain:

Supplies heavy of apples, celery, grapefruit, lemons and white potatoes.

Supplies light of casaba, cauliflower, grapes, raisins, limas, beans, lemons, pears, jaa, string beans and bunched vegetables.

APPLES—4 cars California and 5 Oregon arrived; 11 diverted; 7 unloaded and 2 broken cars on team track. Demand and movement good; market firm. Locals: Romes and Kings, Davids, 60@75; few best Jonathons, Yeralins selection, 90@ per lb. Watsonville fancy, 3½ and 4-tier Delicious, 1.60@1.75; jumbo, 1.50; 4½-tier, 1.40@1.50. Imperial Valley, 4-tier, 1.50; loose, per lb., 3½@4. Idaho, Washingtons and Oregons: Jonathans extra fancy, medium to large sizes, 2.75@3.00; fancy, 2.50@2.75; extra fancy, mostly 2.00@2.25; fancy, 2.00@2.25. BEANS—Demand and movement good. Per lb., string beans, 20@22, according to quality. Limas, locals, 14@16.

BUNCHED VEGETABLES—Per dozen bunches: Turnips, 40. Beets and carrots, 50@60. Radishes, 25@30. Parsley, 15. Spinach, 30@35. Green onions, 12½@15.

CABBAGE—Market firm. Per field crate, best, mostly 2.00@2.75; poorer, 1.50@2.00; Cannon Ball, 1.50@2.00.

CAULIFLOWER—Market steady. Best, mostly 2.25@2.75; poorer, 2.00.

CELERY—Locals, mostly 3.25@3.50; few 3.75; poorer, 2.50@3.00.

CRANBERRIES—Market steady. Many on arrival. Late Howes, 25.00 per barrel; New Jersey, late Howes, mostly 27.00; few 28.00 per barrel.

CUCUMBERS—Market steady, San Diego, mostly 2.00@2.50; poorer, 1.00@1.75. Local, mostly 1.50@1.60 per dozen, according to size and quality.

GRAPEFRUIT—4 cars California arrived; 1 unloaded car on team track. Market steady. California: Navels, mostly 3.25@3.50; few 3.75; poorer, 2.50@3.00.

GRAPES—Demand good, market firm. Per lb., Malagas, 7@8. Red Emperors, 10@11.

LEMONS—Demand and movement slow, market weak. Locals, special pack, mostly 4.00; few, 4.50@5.00; standard pack, 3.00@3.50, according to size and quality. All varieties culls, 50c@1.50 per box, per cwt.

LETTUCE—Demand good, market strong. Locals, field crates, best, 1.75@2.00; poorer, 1.00@1.50.

MELONS—Demand light, 1½@2 per lb. for Persians.

ONIONS—4 cars California arrived; 1 unbroken and 1 broken cars on team track. Demand moderate, market firm. Shallots, per doz. bunches, 20@25. Green onions, 12½@15. Local, mostly 6.75@7.25; poorer, 6.50; brownie, best, 3.00@3.25; poorer, 2.50@2.75; Stockton, mostly 6.50@7.00; poorer, 6.00; Imperial Valley, mostly 6.00@6.50; poorer, 5.50; Yellow Globe, best, mostly 6.00@6.50; poorer, 5.50; Red Globe, best, mostly 6.00@6.50; poorer, 5.50; Spanish sweets, best, mostly 6.25@6.50; poorer, 6.00.

ORANGES—9 cars California arrived; 5 unbroken and 2 broken cars on team track. Demand moderate, market steady. Navels, special brands, 2.75@3.00; fancy, mostly 2.25@2.75; few 3.00; choice, 2.00@2.25; poorer, 1.50@1.75; few boxes, mostly 1.25@2.00; poorer, 1.00.

PEARS—Market strong; best, 1.00@1.25; poorer, 1.00@1.50.

PEPPERS—Locals: Bells, 12@14; Chiles, 10@12 per lb.

POTATOES—23 cars California and 11 Idaho arrived; 4 diverted; 30 unbroken and 16 broken cars on team track. Movement slow, market weak. Logs, mostly 90@1.00. Stockton: Burbanks, per cwt., best, special brands, 2.50@2.75; few, 3.00; 2.00@2.50. Idahos: Russets, best, 2.25@2.50; Burals, mostly 1.90@2.00; few 2.50; bakers, 2.00.

SWEET POTATOES—2 cars California arrived; 1 unbroken car on team track. Market firm. Locals: No. 1, best, 90@1.00 per lug. Per cwt., best, 2.00@2.25; poorer, 1.75.

TANGERINES—Demand and movement good. Best, 1.00@1; poorer, 9 per lb.

TOMATOES—Market firm on good-stock. Locals, No. 1, per lug, best, mostly 2.00@2.50; poorer, 1.00@2.25, according to size and quality.

MISCELLANEOUS FRUITS—Persimmons, best, 10@15 per lb.; according to quality and variety. Pineapples, fancy, 50 per lug. Dates, 25@ 27 per lb.

MISCELLANEOUS VEGETABLES—Garlic, 9@ 11 per lb. Rhubarb, mostly 90@1.15. Parsnips, 2.00@3 per lug. Artichokes, best, 1.00@1.25 doz. Eggplant, 8@9 per lb. Oysterplant, 50 dozen bunches.

SQUASH AND PUMPKINS—Market steady, movement moderate. Bananas, 10@1¼ per lb. Hubbard squash, best, 1¼, Crooks, 2 per lb. Italian, 1.50 per lug. 90@1.00 flat. Pumpkins, 1@1½ per lb. Imperial Valley summer squash, 2.00 per lug. Basket crate.

POULTRY PRICES TO PRODUCERS.

Hens, under 2½ lbs., per lb.....$ .22
Hens, 2½ lbs. and up each, per lb.....22
Hens, colored, 4 lbs. and up each, per lb.....20
Broilers, 1 to 1½ lbs. each, per lb.....30
Broilers, 1½ to 2 lbs. each, per lb.....32
Fryers, 2½ to 3 lbs., per lb.....32
Roasters, soft bone, over 5 lbs. and up, per lb.....28
Capons, per lb.....30
Stags, per lb.....18
Old roosters.....10
Ducklings, Pekings, 2½ lbs. and up, each.....30
Ducklings, other than Pekings, 2½ lbs. and up, per lb.....28
Old ducks, 3½ lbs. and up each, per lb.....20
Geese, per lb.....20
Young tom turkeys, 13 lbs. and up each, per lb.....40
Young tom turkeys, dressed, 12 lbs. and up each, per lb.....47
Hen turkeys, 8 lbs. and up each, per lb.....40
Hen turkeys, dressed, 7 lbs. and up each, per lb.....47
Old tom turkeys, per lb.....40
Old tom turkeys, dressed, per lb.....45
Small hen turkeys, under 8 lbs., per lb.....15
Small young tom turkeys, under 13 lbs., per lb.....15
Squabs, light to heavy, per lb.....60@.70
Squabs, 5 lbs. to the dozen, per lb.....70
Belgian hare, 5½ lbs. each, per lb.....10
Belgian hare, 5½ lbs. each, per lb.....12
Belgian hare, old, per lb.....09

Wheat Market Prices Highest Near the Close.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 19.—Wheat made its lowest prices early and the highest about the close. The finish was at net gains of 1¾ to 2¾ cents with May leading. Liquidation continues in the December and it closed 3¾ cents under the day, the greatest difference so far. Corn was firm with wheat and gained ⅝ to ¾, while oats were up ⅛ to ¼ cent with December leading. Rye gained ⅛ to 1¼ cents.

Sentiment in wheat was rather bearish early and prices declined about ½ cent under scattered selling. The pronounced strength in Winnipeg and rumors of large export orders for Manitobas caused a quick change. With a light trade prices moved up quickly, some stop-loss orders were uncovered on the way up, the outside figures showing 1⅞ to 2⅜ cents over the early low.

Some of the local professionals who have been doing little of late were active on the buying side, reports from Buffalo that some of the grain boats there had gone ashore during the storm had some effect on sentiment. First of the strength at Winnipeg was said to be due to further removing of hedges against last week's big export sales which aggregated between 4,000,000 and 5,000,000 bushels.

The demand for cash grain at Winnipeg and some No. 1 northern sold at 1⅞ over December, or 1⅜ cents better than on Saturday.

An increase of 733,000 bushels in the visible supply led to selling and a decline at one time, but the losses were quickly recovered. Secretary Wallace was reported to have made a bullish speech at Boston, and Minneapolis claimed a better demand prevailed for their wheat futures, this showing more strength than any other market. December being up 3¾ cents.

No export business was reported as worked during the day with the exception of scattered lots, including some hard winter to the United Kingdom. Liverpool declined ¼d, a small loss in view of the sharp advance in exchange. Buenos Aires was ¼ cent lower at the opening and reported weather favorable for harvest. Milling demand in the Southwest showed a little improvement.

Dry weather continues in parts of Kansas and Oklahoma but the general run of crop reports from there were more favorable and the July lost slightly as compared with the May. Receipts, 17 cars.

While there was scattered liquidation in December corn, and also pressure from cash houses who are hedging against purchases in the sample market the leading short interest was in the premium to hold. Exporters were after grain and bought 160,000 bushels here while the seaboard reported 200,000 bushels sold abroad. Cash corn was about ¼ cent lower as compared with the December. Receipts, 991 cars. An increase of 2,308,000 bushels in the visible stirred little action.

December oats went to 5¼ under May at the last, gaining ¼ cent for the day as a result of buying by a leading cash house. Trade on the whole was not large and the action of other grains was closely followed. Receipts, 107 cars, with shipping sales of 70,000 bushels.

Rye showed a firmer undertone in sympathy with wheat and averaged higher, but the trade was light and mainly local. Export demand also.

Wheat—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
December	1.07	1.09¾	1.06¾	1.09¾
May	1.13⅜	1.14⅞	1.12⅜	1.14⅝
July	1.02⅝	1.04⅛	1.02⅜	1.04⅛
Corn—				
December	.49⅜	.47⅛	.49⅜	.47⅛
May	.52⅝	.50⅝	.52⅝	.50⅝
July	.54⅜	.52⅜	.54⅜	.52⅝
Oats—				
December	.37⅜	.35⅜	.37⅜	.35⅜
May	.37⅞	.35⅞	.37⅞	.35⅞
July	.35⅝	.33⅝	.35⅝	.33⅝
Rye—				
December	.81	.82¾	.82	.82¾
May	.85	.85¾	.87⅜	.85

WINNIPEG WHEAT.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
May	1.10⅝	1.12⅜	1.10⅛	1.12⅛
July	1.08⅜	1.11⅛	1.08⅜	1.11

COTTON MARKET HAS HIGH PRICES AT END.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—The list in the cotton market went higher today, but until the late trading there was little snap to the buying by local shorts, Japanese interests and the trade. The list rose about 20 points early, slipped back to a level of 5 to 12 points higher at midday, when the tone was steady to firm, and turned irregular in the late afternoon.

The irregularity reflected evening up by Wall street operators prior to tomorrow's government ginning figures.

A reaction to about Saturday's closing level was followed by an upward movement to a level of 29 to 35 points net advance, but a final flurry of realizing left the market somewhat under its high at the close, 13 to 22 points better than Saturday.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
January	18.40	18.57	18.17	18.42
March	17.98	18.42	18.02	18.27
May	17.72	18.09	17.72	18.01
July	17.30	17.55	17.18	17.37
October	16.65	16.78	16.58	16.69
December	18.55	18.70	18.41	18.57

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 19.—

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
January	17.48	17.45	17.30	17.42
March	17.62	17.84	17.57	17.71
May	17.50	17.55	17.17	17.40
July	17.16	17.19	16.97	17.10
October	16.15	16.34	16.17	16.25
December	17.36	17.65	17.30	17.50

PRODUCE RECEIPTS IN SAN FRANCISCO.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 19.—Receipts: Flour, 1800 quarter sacks; wheat, 150 centals; barley, 31,42 centals; potatoes, 2000 centals; beans, 504 sacks; onions, 400 sacks; hay, 215 tons; hides, 2470 in number; oranges and lemons, 2950 cars; live stock, 108 head.

Wheat, milling, 1.85@1.95; feed, 1.85@1.95; barley, feed, 1.25@1.30; shipping, 1.30@1.40; oats, red feed, 1.60@1.70; corn, white Egyptian, 1.72½@1.77½; red milo, 1.42½@1.45.

Flour, shipping, in lots of 100 barrels, mill or wild cat, 11.00@11.50; family extras, 13.00@16.00; stock, 9.00@12.00; straight, 10.00@12.00.

NEW YORK CASH GRAIN.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—Wheat, spot, firm. No. 2 red, 1.25; No. 2 hard winter, 1.23; No. 2 Manitoba, 1.21. No. 2 mixed durum, 1.14½, c.i.f. New York, all rail.

Corn, spot, firm. No. 2 yellow, .65¾; No. 2 white, .65¾; and No. 2 mixed, .65¼, c.i.f. New York, all rail.

Oats, spot, firm. No. 2 white, .40¼@.47.

GASOLINE QUOTATIONS.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 19.—Oil market: Gasoline, tank wagon, 30½; service stations, 21½; machine, 27.9. Oils, summer, 13.4; winter, 12.9; cylinder, Northern, iron barrels, 11½.

Linseed oil, raw, to four barrels one delivery, 78; boiled, 80. Denatured alcohol, 52.

SAN FRANCISCO OIL STOCKS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 19.—Oil stocks: Carbon, 1.50 bid; Claremont, 3.25 asked; Illinois-Crude, 10@15; M. J. & M. & M. Con., 10@15; Palmer Union, 2@4; Palmer Union, pfd., 20@25; Pyramid, 5.00@5.50.

LATEST PRICES ON BUTTER AND EGGS.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 19.—Produce Exchange closing prices: Butter, creamery extras, 48. Eggs, cases included, fresh extras, 54; case count, 51; pullets, 48. Cheese, California flats, 21@23.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 19. Butter, extras, 47½; prime firsts, 46; firsts, 44.

Eggs, extras, 57½; extra firsts, 57; extra pullets, 49½; extra pullets, firsts, 49; undersized pullets No. 1, 48½.

Cheese, California flats, fancy, 24½ flat fancy firsts, 22; California young Americas, 31.

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—Butter unsettled; creamery higher than extras, 43½@44; creamery extras, 43; creamery firsts 27@43½.

Eggs steady; fresh gathered extra firsts, 56@58; fresh gathered firsts, 51@55.

Cheese steady; State whole milk flats fresh special, 21½@22; State whole milk twins specials, 21½@22.

CHICAGO, Dec. 19.—Butter higher; creamery extras, 43½; firsts, 34@41; seconds, 21@33; standards, 27½.

Eggs higher; receipts, 25622 cases; firsts, 47@48; ordinary firsts, 41@43; miscellaneous, 44@46; refrigerator firsts, 38.

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On November 26, 1921, the National Bank of Denmark had a ratio of gold cover to circulation of 53.78% as compared with 46.17% on July 31, 1914. (Seal.)

THE ISSUE

Dated Jan. 2, 1922 Due Jan. 1, 1942

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Coupon bonds in denominations of $1000 and $500 registerable as to principal only, principal, premium and interest will be payable in New York City in United States gold coin of the present standard of weight and fineness at the National City Bank of New York, the fiscal agent of the loan, without deduction for any Danish taxes present or future. Principal, premium and interest will be payable in time of war as well as in time of peace irrespective of the nationality of the holder.

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We offer these bonds if, as and when issued and received by us, subject to approval of counsel at

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DAILY EASTERN CITRUS MARKETS.

CITRUS FRUIT SHIPMENTS.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA.

	Oranges.	Lemons.
December 16	27	20
December 17-18	27	20
Total cars to date this season	9241	2950
Total cars to same date last season	13538	3500
CENTRAL CALIFORNIA.		
December 15	138	0
December 16	138	0
Total cars to date this season	9402	97
Total cars to same date last season	8188	0
NORTHERN CALIFORNIA.		
December 15	30	0
December 16	30	1
Total cars to date this season	1237	1
Total cars to same date last season	397	0

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCHES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—Thirty-two cars of oranges and two cars of lemons sold. Market is lower on oranges. Lemons market is higher. Weather fair.

NAVELS—		NAVELS—		NAVELS—	
Airway Rose	$0.00	Narcossus, TCR	3.60	Vandalia, TCR	4.00
Alcaya Rose	3.35	Wizard, TCR	3.40	Vinehurst, CCR	4.15
Polaya	3.60	Dawn of Gold,	3.60	Wig Wag, CCR	4.15
Foremost	3.65	TCR	3.65	Wizard, TCR	4.15
Foremost	4.85	Red Bird, TCR	4.70	Wizard, CCR	4.15
Camilla	4.35	Orangeville, CCR	4.75	Wizard, TCR	4.15
Sierra	4.45	Sterling, TCR	4.75	Tulip, TCR	3.90
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Row's This, LMX	4.50	Sterling Per., TCR	4.75	Governor, LMX	4.00
Governor, LMX	4.50	Mt. Vernon, TCR	4.80	Governor, LMX	4.00
El JF A, TCR	4.60	Truth, RIVS	5.00	Red Fish, LMX	4.00
Oakleaf, TCR	4.60	Antelope, Sta.	5.00	Red Fish, LMX	4.00
Oakleaf, TCR	4.60	Tulare, CCR	5.00	Red Fish, LMX	4.00
Golden Trout,	4.05	Bountiful, TCR	4.80	Mid-California,	3.90
Lake		Bountiful, TCR	4.80	Mid-California,	3.90
Diamond Mountain, LMX	5.00	Dualand, CCR	4.80	Nature's Best, TCR	4.00
Silver Lake, CCR	5.10	Silver Lake, CCR	4.80	Nature's Best, TCR	4.00
Wizard, TCR	5.10	Alvara Best	4.80	Mt. Vernon, TCR	4.00
Central, TCR	4.80	Foleys	4.80		

BOSTON, Dec. 19.—Twenty cars of navels sold. Market is strong and higher on good quality navels.

NAVELS—		NAVELS—		NAVELS—		NAVELS—	
Fortgville Sun-Sweet, MOD	$5.10	Nature's Best, TCR	4.85	Sweetest Yet, TRF	4.90	Sunkist, CCR	4.70
Blue Goose, APG	4.80	Forget-Me-Not, TCR	4.70	Lindsay Poppy, MOD	4.85	Blue Label, CCR	4.60
Foley's Best,	4.80	St. Francis, CCR	4.80	Sealed Yet, TRF	4.45	Sunkist, CCR	4.70
Prince of Orange	4.85	Sunkist, CCR	4.70	Foley's Pride	4.80	Sunkist, CCR	4.70
Prince of Orange	4.85	Sunkist, CCR	4.70	Foley's Best	4.80	Sunkist, CCR	4.70
Sunkist, CCR	4.80	Sunkist, CCR	4.70	Mid-California,	4.00	Sunkist, CCR	4.70
Sunkist, CCR	4.80	Sunkist, CCR	4.70	

Business; Financial; Markets; Investment.

DAILY TRADE TALK.

Storm and Its Effect on Business; Foreign Film Demand; Overseas Co-operation; Business News.

BY CHAPIN HALL.

The storm which started Saturday and continued through yesterday aroused conflicting emotions and contradictory expressions of value.

Food purveyors, producers, fruit growers and those with ears close to mother earth rejoiced greatly, and declared that the rain was worth its weight in gold. The soil was too dry; vegetables were deteriorating, the trees needed moisture.

Merchants sang a different song. Rain, a few days before Christmas, they say, eats deeply into sales and involves a recasting of their estimates of gross business. Theoretically the business is only deferred, but actually, a rainy day wipes out a considerable volume of trade which never finds its way through the accustomed arteries.

One the whole, however, and discounting the natural disappointment among tradesmen, the precipitation is vitally helpful and, in the long run, will prove a stimulation to business and gross turnover.

At that there was less of a slowing down than many anticipated, and the retail districts were crowded throughout the day. Traffic was humanized by the withdrawal of thousands of automobiles, but the law of compensation made itself felt in an added burden thrown upon the street-car companies.

The week opened drably enough in financial and wholesale circles, but this condition had nothing to do with the weather. The week before Christmas is notoriously one of the worst of the year in almost every line except retail. For the wholesalers the rush is over, and investors transfer their interest from the bond and stock market to the offerings of Santa Claus, preferred.

FOREIGN FILM BUSINESS.

Fifteen years ago, American moving pictures were almost entirely dependent on foreign films. Principal supplies were Pathe and Gaumont in France and Cines and Ambrosio in Italy.

Today American producers not only control the domestic market, but dominate the world, with exception of France, Germany and Central Europe, by a large percentage.

Famous Players-Lasky Corporation, the most important factor in exporting American films, in 1921 will show an increase of three times 1918 and of 20 per cent over 1920 in foreign sales in spite of dullness in other exports, according to the Wall Street Journal.

Most notable growth of American moving-picture business has been in South America. This market was controlled by European producers before the war. American films are now firmly intrenched in South America and in spite of lower cost of European productions have been able to hold and increase advantage gained during the war.

Taste of South American public has changed from blood and thunder drama of European type, to American "society dramas" and comedy. Anything portraying American life, social customs, industries and business methods is a big drawing card.

The moving picture has become one of the most important factors in cementing closer business and political relations between the United States and Latin America. New York is being substituted for Paris as a model for South American society. Change of attitude of business men in particularly striking in recent years.

Unsettled conditions in Mexico have heretofore prevented any important expansion there. Famous Players opened offices in Mexico City during the summer and volume of business is already encouraging.

In Australia Famous Players now controls 65 per cent of business, against 4 per cent four years ago. South Africa is becoming an important market. Present business is three times that of 1919.

URGES CO-OPERATION.

The visit of Viscount Eiichi Shibusawa, to Los Angeles on a tour of investigation and study of American commercial methods has suggested the idea to some local financiers that American business men, in turn, should devote more time towards developing an understanding of Oriental business customs. J. M. Rugg, vice-president of the Citizens National Bank, expressed his belief yesterday that with the growth of constructive international co-operation, a closer connection between California and Japanese financiers is particularly important.

"The situation appears to me in the light that the American business man has scope in his vision while the Japanese has depth, and a rational combination of these two would contribute a great impulse to an improved international economic situation," he said.

While Mr. Rugg sees great possibilities in future Japanese-American co-operation, he finds a good deal to criticise in the present business methods of the Japanese. There would be a distinct business advantage to both nations, he said, "if Japanese banking laws were changed to permit the Japanese banks to purchase accepted American securities with their surplus gold, which their present laws force them to hold."

Another criticism of the present business methods of the Japanese in this section offered by Mr. Rugg, is that although the American bank assists him in the development and maturity of his business problems, in both agricultural and commercial lines, the moment the Japanese reaches a point of success wherein his finances are on a staple basis, he removes his deposits from the American bank that has helped him and places the funds in a Japanese institution, giving no further consideration to the bank that pioneered his efforts.

However, if both nations will consent to drop their political and commercial animosities, Mr. Rugg believes that the dawn of a new era of co-operation is at hand.

A JOHNSON POOL?

Financial writers in San Francisco are devoting an amount of space sufficiently large to arouse curious comment, to the story that Hiram Johnson, Jr., is engineering a pool alleged to be fed "by a large number of small stockholders and a few big ones who are signing the option agreement to sell their Union Oil stock at $200 a share."

The inference is that this "pool" is backed by Percy Rockefeller and his Royal Dutch associated, but in Los Angeles the activity is not taken very seriously. Not a great deal of stock is held in the north by comparison with Southern California holdings, and no one in a position to speak authoritively here is willing to admit the possibility of a successful raid, such as is suggested, or even that a pool of the character indicated is under way. "Propaganda," some of them infer, and nearly all anticipate an early and harmonious adjustment of any differences, and the development of the California company along definitely progressive lines.

COPPER SITUATION.

The aggregate sales of copper during the last three months have been very heavy. Producers have worked off a large quantity of surplus holdings during this period. At this stage it looks as if total sales for four months ending December 31, will reach from 500,000,000 pounds.

These transactions include those for domestic use and export. The Copper Export Association has been working with definite plans in view. It still has 325,000,000 pounds of the 4000,000,000 pounds taken over from the producers last spring. There is a very important object in keeping down deliveries from these stocks. It is desirable to make the arrangement a financial success in addition to affording relief for the benefit of the copper industry.

The big interests which have engineered this proposition will be highly pleased if they succeed in turning what was a necessity into a decided financial success and it begins to look as if this achievement will be realized.

Trade in copper has quieted down to moderate proportions but the market holds firm at 13 3-4 to 13 7-8 cents for December shipment. Only a small tonnage is available at these prices.

PACKERS' PREDICAMENT.

According to this week's market letter of the California Cattlemens' Association, the meat producer today finds his predicament the same as that of Napoleon when he answered one of his generals who had just reported a victory: "One more such victory, and we shall be defeated."

By using this parallel the cattlemen's organ means to say that the packer, who has been so successful in forcing prices for cattle on the hoof to the lowest possible level, is now faced with a serious meat shortage. The cattlemen say that the Arizona beef supply has almost been exhausted, that Nevada has on feed less than 50 per cent of the normal number of cattle, and that the Northwest has even a smaller proportion on feed.

Unless the packers decide to pay the cattlemen higher prices for their beef, western cattle industry will be at a complete standstill and the packers will be without needed supplies of meat, says the report. Prevailing prices f.o.b. Los Angeles, are reported at 7 cents a pound for prime native steers and 5 1-2 cents for prime native cows.

NEW ISSUE.

Freeman, Smith & Camp offered yesterday $20,000 Kelseyville Union School District, Lake county, 6 per cent bonds, at prices to yield 5 per cent. The bonds mature in amounts of $1000 annually from 1933 to 1942. The assessed valuation of the district is $1,589,960, compared to a bonded debt of $34,000.

GOODYEAR OF OHIO.

An arrangement has been completed whereby holders of merchandise creditors preliminary receipts of the Goodyear Tire and Rubber Company of Ohio may exchange their receipts through the Guaranty Trust Company of New York for participation certificates representing voting trust certificates for the same number of shares of prior preference stock of the Goodyear company. No further merchandise creditors' preliminary receipts will be issued on transfer or otherwise, it is announced.

STEPHENS OFFERING.

Stephens & Company will offer today $1,125,000 Hooper Electro-Chemical Company first 7 per cent sinking-fund gold bonds, due 1947. The bonds are priced at 96 1-2 to yield 7.30 per cent, and are callable at 105 for the first five years, at 110 for the next five, and at 105 thereafter. Net assets of the company are equal to ten times the amount of this issue and earnings for the past ten years have averaged over ten times all interest requirements.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Albert G. Simpson, local representative of the Guaranty Trust Company of New York, will make his headquarters in San Francisco after January 1. Mr. Simpson goes north to take charge of syndicate sales on the Pacific Coast for the Guaranty company. Thornton E. Grimes, of the local office, will take Mr. Simpson's place as Los Angeles representative of the Guaranty.

FOOD IN STORAGE.

With the exception of potatoes, further declines in Los Angeles food supplies were disclosed in yesterday's cold storage report. Potatoes on hand in local warehouses however, increased from 6400 sacks held a week ago to 13,800 sacks yesterday. Declining food holdings are a regular characteristic of this period of the year. According to the report, there are now 14,443 cases of eggs in Los Angeles, 302,554 pounds of butter, 1,159,247 pounds of cheese, 672,258 boxes of apples, and 17,030 sacks of onions.

GLENDALE SALE.

A premium of $28,588 was paid by a syndicate composed of Bond, Goodwin & Tucker and Blyth, Witter & Co. for $360,000 Glendale School District 6 per cent bonds at a public sale held yesterday by the Board of Supervisors. Premiums offered by the other bidders were: Bank of Italy, $34,800.50; W. R. Staats Company, $28,759.50; First Securities Company, Ryons & Co. and E. H. Rollins & Sons, $25,840.50; National City Company, R. H. Moulton & Co. and the Security Trust and Savings Bank, $22,236.

DENMARK ISSUE.

An issue of $30,000,000 Kingdom of Denmark 6 per cent bonds, due 1942, was offered yesterday by a syndicate headed by the National City Company and composed of several local banks and bond houses. The bonds were priced at 94½ to yield 6½ per cent. They are callable at 105 and are payable in United States gold coin.

UTAH CONSTRUCTION CO.

E. H. Rollins & Sons and George H. Burr & Co. offered yesterday $1,250,000 Utah Construction Company first closed mortgage 7½ per cent bonds, due serially from 1924 to 1935. The bonds are being sold at par. They constitute, according to the underwriters, an absolute first closed mortgage on approximately 300,000 acres of Nevada, Utah and Idaho ranch and range lands, conservatively appraised at $4,221,400. Net earnings of the company for the past ten years have averaged 5.9 times maximum annual bond interest charges.

TICKER TICKS.

More speculative attention is expected to be given to the dividend-paying rails, which have been steadily absorbed for semi-investment account, and may lend themselves readily to bullish operations working on a reduced floating supply.

National City Bank has purchased loan of Kingdom of Denmark of $30,000,000.

Census Bureau will issue at 10 a.m. today report of cotton ginned to December 12.

Savings bank deposits in West increased 1 per cent over last year. A hopeful sign, in view of unemployment situation.

Average price of twenty industrials 80.57, off .33; twenty rails, 74.78, up .45.

BOOST EXCHANGE MARKET.

(EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.)

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—Today's markets once more demonstrated the fact—not perhaps illogical when it is large, international problems, and not American affairs which are the focus of attention—that it is in the foreign exchange market rather than in the market for security that the reduction of financial epidemic must just now be fought.

Under the lead of sterling, another forward movement occurred in practically every quarter of the exchange market. Neither English nor French nor Italian rates topped the high spot of a week ago today but a four-cent rise in sterling brought the rate to $4.21½, which it had touched in only one preceding day this year. The franc rose ¼ cent over Saturday and the lira ¼, while exchange on Holland went to the highest since the middle of 1920, on Danish and Canadian rates to the highest since the late months of 1919 and the rates on Sweden and Switzerland to figures not reached since the autumn months of the unusual year.

In spite of these advances, particular cause had a hand, the taking by our market of the $30,000,000 Danish loan and the $25,000,000 Canadian Pacific stock, for instance. The contributory influence of these operations to the general upward movement of exchange was probably greater because of their reminder of the connection between the expanding American market for investment securities and the position, national and international, of the various foreign markets. But the larger propelling influence unquestionably was the sense of pay been at work since the important practical achievements of the Washington Conference became known, the belief that it not the solution of Europe's economic problems, by action of an international conference, at least the active co-operation of the governments in helping the crippled states to solve their own dilemma, may be counted upon.

Movement of prices on the stock exchange today was as irregular as last week. In the end there were about as many declines as advances, and these frequently of a point or more in both cases. Railway shares were generally steady, and a few of them distinctly strong. Attention is particularly directed to the gain on top of a 2½-point rise last week of Pennsylvania, of which the net gain yesterday was 1¼. That the investment market is not taking an indiscriminately unfavorable view of the railway outlook as a whole

NEW YORK CURB CLOSE.

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NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—Closing quotations:

	Bid.	Ask.
Allied Packers	12	12¼
Allied Packers pfd.	75	76
Amer. Beet Sugar	17	17¼
Amer. Cigar	175	177
Amer. Light & Trac.	175	177
Amer. Maize Prod.	12	12¼
Amer. Piano	3	3¼
Amer. Piano pfd.	30	32
Amer. Power & Light	60	60½
Amer. Public Utilities	50	52
Amer. Public Utilities pfd.	70	72
Amer. Superpower	3	3¼
Amer. Tobacco	110	112
Amer. Tobacco pfd.	100	101
Assoc. Oil	17	17¼
Atlantic Fruit	1	1¼
Atlantic Fruit pfd.	3	4
Atlantic Gulf & W. I.	15	15½
Atlantic Gulf & W. I. pfd.	50	52
Atlantic Refining	100	102
Baldwin Locomotive	80	81
Baldwin Locomotive pfd.	100	101
Barnet Leather	3	3¼
Barnet Leather pfd.	15	16
Bethlehem Steel B	45	46
Bethlehem Steel pfd.	70	72
Booth Fisheries	3	3¼
Booth Fisheries pfd.	15	16
Brown Shoe	30	31
Brown Shoe pfd.	70	72
Burns Bros.	3	3¼
Burns Bros. pfd.	15	16
Cal. Packing	50	51
Cal. Packing pfd.	100	101
Central Leather	20	20½
Central Leather pfd.	70	72
Chandler Motor	50	52
Chile Copper	12	12¼
Chino Copper	20	20½
Colorado Fuel & Iron	20	20½
Colorado Fuel & Iron pfd.	70	72
Columbia Graphophone	3	3¼
Columbia Graphophone pfd.	15	16
Consolidated Cigar	50	51
Consolidated Cigar pfd.	100	101
Consolidated Gas	100	101
Consolidated Textile	3	3¼
Consolidated Textile pfd.	15	16
Continental Can	50	51
Continental Can pfd.	100	101
Corn Products	50	51
Corn Products pfd.	100	101
Crucible Steel	50	51
Crucible Steel pfd.	100	101
Cuba Cane Sugar	12	12¼
Cuba Cane Sugar pfd.	70	72
Cuba Cane Sugar rights	¼	½
Cuba Cane Sugar warrants	¼	½
Cuba Cane Sugar 1st pfd.	70	72
Cuba Cane Sugar 2nd pfd.	70	72
Cuba Cane Sugar 3rd pfd.	70	72
Cuba Cane Sugar 4th pfd.	70	72
Cuba Cane Sugar 5th pfd.	70	72
Cuba Cane Sugar 6th pfd.	70	72
Cuba Cane Sugar 7th pfd.	70	72
Cuba Cane Sugar 8th pfd.	70	72
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Cuba Cane Sugar 44th pfd.	70	72
Cuba Cane Sugar 45th pfd.	70	72
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Cuba Cane Sugar 95th pfd.	70	72
Cuba Cane Sugar 96th pfd.	70	72
Cuba Cane Sugar 97th pfd.	70	72
Cuba Cane Sugar 98th pfd.	70	72
Cuba Cane Sugar 99th pfd.	70	72
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4th Liberty 4¼s	98.00
Victory 4¾s	100.00
Victory 4¾s	100.00

FLAXSEED MARKETS IN THE NORTHWEST.

[TELEGRAPH DISPATCH.]

DULUTH, Minn., Dec. 19.—Trading was limited and demand for flax was slow today. On commercial account October flax sold to be delivered at $1.92 to arrive, 1,000 bu.; January, $1.90½ to arrive, 1,000 bu.; December, $1.90½ to arrive, 1,000 bu.; on track, $1.90½; to arrive, 1,000 bu.; on track, $1.90½; to arrive, 1,000 bu.; on track, $1.90½;

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Maturity	Price	Approx. Yield
1941		4.80
1932		4.90
1925-35		5.00-4.90
1931	101	5.85
1925-26		6.50
1923	100	7.00
1925	Mkt.	7.50

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	1939	98	6.20
	1923	101.50	6.45
	1950	95	6.45
§	1936	90	6.55
	1951	103	6.75
	1924	100.25	6.80
	1936	99	7.10
¼	1924-28	Mkt.	7.15
½	1956	103	7.25
	1932	83.50	7.25
	1927	94.50	7.30

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100	8.00%
99½	8.05%
105	8.00%
99½	8.05%
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NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—Although week-end developments were mainly favorable, today's stock market moved irregularly in almost all branches. Rails and a few affiliated issues were the only prominent exceptions.

Selling pressure was general in high-grade oils, also coppers, sugars, rubbers and unclassified specialties. Heaviness of Mexicans was ascribed to reports from Standard Oil sources, which referred in pessimistic tones as to oil conditions in Mexico.

Coalers were the chief features of the railway division, Delaware, Lackawanna and Western making further response to prospects of an extra dividend distribution. Grangers and cotton carriers, notably Atchison, Atlantic Coast Line and New Orleans, Texas and Mexico, were firm to strong.

Sporadic gains and losses marked the uncertain course of food, chemical, fertilizer, tobacco and chain store issues. Final prices were not much altered by the sudden rise of call money from 5 to 6 per cent. Sales 785,000 shares.

Constructive incidents included a reduction in interest rate on loans of the Federal reserve bank at Atlanta, a brisk recovery in international currencies and more forfinancing for round amounts by American bankers.

Sterling exchange rose 2⅛ from last week's final price and French, Belgian and Dutch rates were stronger. Scandinavian remittances were features, however, Danish bills rising 1 3-10 cents on announcement of a $30,000,000 loan to that government.

Bonds followed the uneven course of stocks. Liberty 3½s showing marked depression, while Victory 4¾s duplicated their previous maximum. International issues, including various municipals, strengthened on the news of the Danish loan. Total sales, par value, aggregated $18,775,000.

STOCK QUOTATIONS IN NEW YORK CITY.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchanges, 636 South Spring street, Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—Following are the closing prices, stock and high and low quotations today:

Sales.	Stocks—	High.	Low.	Closing
300	Adams Express	39	39	39¼
14,400	Ajax Tire	17¼	15⅞	16½
400	Alaska	⅞	⅞	⅞
2,100	Alaska Juneau	¾	¾	¾
400	Atlantic Coast Line	89	88¾	89
2,100	Atl. Gulf & W. I.	23¾	22¾	23¼
2,700	Allied Chem. & Dye	57	55¾	57¼
1,000	Allis Chalmers	23¼	23¼	23½
100	Do. pfd	80	80	80
200	Am. Agr. Chemical	39	39	39¾
200	Am. B. Sugar pfd	57	56¾	56¾
700	Am. Car & Fdy. Co.	143	142	143½
8,600	Am. Can Co.	34	33¾	34
100	Am. Can Co. pfd	84¾	84¾	85
2,000	Am. Cotton Oil	22¾	22	22¾
100	Am. Drug Syndicate	4¾	4¾	4¾
200	Am. Express	125	125	125
1,200	Am. Hide & Leather	15¾	15	15¼
200	Am. Hide & Leather pfd	68	68	68
400	Am. Ice Sec. com.	73	72¾	72¾
100	Am. Ice Sec. pfd.	93½	93½	93½
200	Am. Int. Corp.	42	42	42¾
4,500	Am. Linseed	47¾	46¾	47¼
2,100	Am. Linseed pfd	84¾	83¾	83¾
2,100	Am. Locomotive	100¾	98¾	99¾
1,300	Am. Safety Razor	44	44	44
2,100	Am. Smel. Fdy. com.	61¾	60¾	61¼
2,100	Am. Smelt. & R. Co.	45¾	44¾	45¼
2,600	Am. Sugar	84¾	83¾	84¼
1,200	Am. Sugar pfd.	91	91	91
8,200	Am. Sumatra Tob.	81¾	81	81¾
200	Do. pfd	93	93	93
200	Am. Steel Fdy.	112	111½	111½
8,700	Am. Tel. & Tel. Co.	117½	116½	116¾
700	Am. Tobacco Co.	121½	121½	121½
400	Am. Woolen	89¾	89¾	89¾
100	Am. Writing Paper	4	4	4
200	Do. pfd	48¾	48¾	48¾
300	Am. Zinc & Lead	8¾	8¾	8¾
1,600	Atlantic Petroleum	4¾	4¾	4¾
1,200	Atlantic Refining	103	102	103
4,100	Associated Oil	68¾	67¾	68¼
4,700	A. T. & Santa Fe	85¾	84¾	85¼
10,200	Baldwin Locomotive	107	105¾	106¾
1,500	Balt. & Ohio	39	38¾	38¾
100	Balt. & Ohio pfd.			49
100	Beth. Steel com.			68
1,100	Beth. Steel "B"	68¾	67¾	68¼
1,200	Booth Fisheries	8¾	8¾	8¾
900	Brunswick Terminal	4¾	4¾	4¾
6,200	Burns Bros.	111	110¾	110¾
1,200	Butte & Sup. Copper	20¾	20¾	20¾
200	Bush Term. B. T.	31	31	31
1,400	Cable Oil	12¾	11¾	12¼
100	California Packers	89¾	89¾	89¾
7,100	Cal. Petroleum Co.	27	26¾	26¾
400	Do. pfd	77	77	77
8,700	Canadian Pacific	122	121¼	121¾
1,000	Central Leather	39¾	39¾	39¾
200	Central Leather pfd	87	87	87
1,500	Chandler Motors	31	30¾	31
1,400	Chesapeake & Ohio	58¼	57¾	58
10,800	Chicago Great W.	13¾	13¼	13¼
4,100	Chino Copper	17¾	17¼	17¼
200	C. & O. W.			17
200	C. & O. W. pfd.	17	16¾	16¾
8,000	C. & N. W.	97¾	96¼	96¾
1,100	C. M. & St. Paul	10¾	10¼	10¾
4,000	Do. pfd	21¾	21¼	21¾
100	C. C. C. & St. L.	55¾	55	54¾
1,000	Coca Cola	30¾	30¾	30¾
100	Colo. Fuel & Iron	39	39	39¾
200	Colorado Southern	40	40	39¾
1,600	Columbia Gas	97¾	96¾	97
1,000	Col. Graphophone	12¾	12¾	12¾
600	Cal. Zinc & Lead	6¾	6¾	6¾
100	Carson Hill			2
100	Consolidated Gas	93	92¾	92¾
400	Consolidated Cigars	39	39	39¾
7,500	Computing Tab.	34	32¾	33¾
2,500	Cons. Textile Corp.	14¾	13¾	13¾
1,800	Corn Products	97¾	96¾	96¾
24,300	Cosden Oil	23¾	23¼	23
1,600	Crucible Steel com.	59¾	58¾	58¾
200	Crucible Steel pfd.	87	87	86½
600	Cuba Cane Sugar			6¾
1,600	Do. pfd	14¾	13¾	13¾
1,600	Cuban Am. Sugar	13¾	13¾	13¾
1,400	D. L. & W.	120¾	118¾	117¾
12,800	Davison Chemical	25¾	24¾	25
200	Endicott Johnson			78¾
2,700	Erie	19¾	19¼	19¾
2,100	Erie 1st pfd.	29¾	29¼	29¾
12,800	Famous Players	102	98¾	100¾
1,100	Famous Players pfd.	86¾	84	86¾
200	Fed. M. & S. pfd.	97	97	97
2,500	Fed. M. & S. pfd.	61¾	61¼	61
4,000	Fisk Tire & Rubber	12¾	12¼	12¼
600	Freeport Texas	43¾	43¾	43¾
200	Butterick Patterns	18¾	18¾	18¾
1,100	General Cigars	61¾	61¼	61¾
12,200	Gen. Asphalt com.	67¾	66¾	67¼
800	General Electric	120	120	120
10,100	Gen. Motors com.	11¾	10¾	10¾
1,000	Goodrich Rubber Co.	39¾	39¾	39¾
100	Do. pfd	77	77	77
1,200	Great Northern pfd.	72¾	72¾	72¾
200	Greene Cananea	13¾	13¾	13¾
200	Great No. Ore Ctfs.	22	22	22
100	Gulf Mobile	7¾	7¾	7¾
2,500	Haskell Barker	39¾	39¾	39¾
2,100	Houston Oil	30¾	30¾	30¾
100	Hillside Central	2¾	2¾	2¾
1,900	Inspiration Copper	37¾	37¾	37¾
1,600	Industrial Alcohol	72¾	72¾	72¾
600	Int. Harv. com.	89¾	89¾	89¾
100	Int. Nickel com.	17¾	17¾	17¾
4,200	Int. Paper	37¾	37¾	37¾
600	Inter-Met. Cons. com	8¾	8¾	8¾
700	Inter-Met. Cons. pfd	17¾	17¾	17¾
1,400	Int'l Marine pfd	65	64¾	64¾
1,800	Island Oil	6¾	6¾	6¾
2,400	Invincible Oil	12	11¾	11¾
200	Jewell Tea	11¾	11¾	11¾
1,700	K. C. Southern	24¾	24¾	24¾
100	K. C. Southern pfd	51	51	51
8,400	Kennecott Copper	20¾	20¾	20¾
1,700	Kelly Spring com.	39¾	39¾	39¾
18,200	Keystone Tire Co.	10¾	10¾	10¾
500	Lackawanna Steel	46	46	46
100	Lee Rub. & Tire	19¾	19¾	19¾
6,100	Lehigh Valley	49¾	49¾	49¾
200	Loft Candy	11¾	11¾	11¾
100	Loveland Tob. Co.	104	104	104
2,400	Mayo Pet. R. com.	14	13¾	13¾
1,300	Manhattan	39	39	39
1,700	Maxwell Mot. "A"	104¾	104¾	104¾
2,400	May Dept. S. com.	114	113¾	113¾
28,900	Mex. Petroleum Co.	113¾	112¾	113¾
1,400	Midland Oil	3¾	3¾	3¾
11,200	Middle States Oil	12¾	12¾	12¾
8,500	Midvale Steel	13¾	13¾	13¾
100	Minn. & St. L.	6¾	6¾	6¾
100	M. St. P. & S. M.	60	60	60
1,800	M. K. & Texas	19¾	19¾	19¾
1,400	M. K. & T. pfd.	39¾	39¾	39¾
700	Mont. Power com.	39	39	39
1,000	Montgomery W. com.	15¾	15¾	15¾
600	Missouri Pacific	19¾	19¾	19¾
1,900	Missouri Pac. 5c pfd.	49¾	49¾	49¾
1,000	National Lead	91¾	91¾	91¾
2,600	National Enamel	47¾	47¾	47¾
200	N. O. T. & M. Ry.	58	58	58
2,000	Nevada Con.	15¾	15¾	15¾
2,500	N. Y. Central	74¾	74¾	74¾
2,600	N. Y. N. H. & H.	18	17¾	17¾
4,600	N. Y. Dock pfd.	39¾	39¾	39¾
100	Norfolk & Western	102	102	102
400	North American	44	43¾	43¾
4,000	Northern Pacific	69¾	68¾	68¾
1,500	Oklahoma Producers	8¾	8¾	8¾
2,900	Otis Steel	15	14¾	14¾
400	Pacific Mail	32¾	32¾	32¾
400	Pacific Gas & Elec.	49	48¾	48¾
20,500	Pacific Oil	50	49¾	49¾
11,700	Pan-American com.	58¾	57¾	58
1,500	Pan-American "B"	48¾	48¾	48¾
6,000	Penn. R. R. Co.	34¾	34¾	34¾
400	People's Gas	54¾	54¾	54¾
1,000	Penn. Marmon com.	23¾	23¾	23¾
200	Philadelphia Co.	38	38	38
8,200	Phillips Petroleum	14¾	14¾	14¾
3,100	Pierce-Arrow com.	20¾	20¾	20¾
400	Pierce-Arrow pfd	52¾	52¾	52¾
6,100	Pierce Oil com.	10¾	10¾	10¾
400	Pittsburg Coal com.	49¾	49¾	49¾
2,600	Pitts. & W. Va. com.	37	37	37
600	Pressed Steel Car.	58¾	58¾	58¾
100	Pond Creek	13¾	13¾	13¾
800	Puerto Allegre Sugar	6¾	6¾	6¾
1,000	Pullman	104¾	104¾	104¾
1,800	Pure Oil	28¾	28¾	28¾
800	Ray Consolidated	13¾	13¾	13¾
13,100	Reading	74¾	73¾	73¾
200	Do. 1st pfd	49¾	49¾	49¾
200	Do. 2nd pfd	44¾	44¾	44¾
1,200	Remington Typewriter	25	25	25
700	Replogle Steel	25¾	25¾	25¾
900	Republic I. & S.	59¾	58¾	58¾
400	Republic Truck	20¾	20¾	20¾
1,200	Rock Island	13¾	13¾	13¾
100	Rock Island 7th	32¾	32¾	32¾
200	Rock Island 6th	12	12	12
2,200	Royal Dutch, N. Y.	82¾	82¾	82¾
200	Rumley com.	11¾	11¾	11¾
1,000	Savage Arms	13¾	13¾	13¾
1,400	Saxon Motors	8¾	8¾	8¾
600	Seaboard Air Line	7¾	7¾	7¾
100	Do. pfd	23	23	23
6,200	Sears-Roebuck Co.	83¾	82¾	83¾
2,100	Seneca Copper	22¾	22¾	22¾
7,000	Shattuck Oil	25¾	25¾	25¾
200	Shattuck Copper			6
3,000	Standard Oil N. J.	187	185	186¾
400	Do. pfd	118¾	118¾	118¾
2,300	St. L. & S. F. com.	22¾	21¾	21¾
100	St. L. & S. F. pfd	37¾	37¾	37¾
100	St. L. S. W.	21¾	21¾	21¾
5,800	Southern Pacific	91	89¾	89¾
700	Southern Railway	19¾	19¾	19¾
1,800	Do. pfd	46	45¾	45¾
100	Stewart-Warner	25¾	24	24
900	Stromberg Carburetor	83¾	82	82
9,100	Studebaker com.	81¾	80	81
1,300	Sweet Oil	7¾	7¾	7¾
1,400	Tennessee Copper	10¾	10¾	10¾
5,700	Texas Oil	27¾	26¾	27¾
9,000	Texas Pacific	27¾	24¾	25¾
21,100	Ter. & Pac. C. & O.	39¾	39¾	39¾
1,800	Third Avenue Ry.	14	13¾	14
2,900	Tobacco Products	63¾	62¾	62¾
100	Do. pfd			93
5,200	Transcontinental Oil	11¾	10¾	11
1,500	Texas Gulf & S.	24¾	24¾	24¾
800	Union Oil of Del.	10¾	10¼	10¾
7,000	Union Pacific	127	125¾	126¾
400	Union Pacific pfd			79¾
300	Utah Copper	65¾	65	65
5,000	Utah Securities	10¾	9¾	10¼
800	U. S. Food Products	10¾	10¾	10¾
600	United Fruit	128¾	126	127
2,800	Un. Retail Stores	53	50¾	52¾
1,600	U. S. Ind. Alcohol	53¾	51	51¾
200	Do. pfd	21¾	20	20
100	United Drug Co.	71	71	71
2,200	Submarine Boat	4¼	4¼	4¼
700	U. F. C. T. Fire pfd.	52¾	52¾	52¾
100	U. S. Realty & Cons.	62¾	61¾	62¾
4,100	U. S. Rubber	65¾	64¾	65¾
600	Do. 1st pfd	100¾	100¼	100
3,700	U. S. Steel Corp.	113¾	113¾	113¾
100	Do. pfd	118¾	118¾	118¾
700	Vanadium Steel	32	31¾	31¾
100	Viradoo	82¾	81¾	82
700	Wabash pfd "A"	39¾	39¾	39¾
800	Wabash "A"	20¾	20¼	20¾
100	Wabash "B"	13¾	13¾	13¾
800	Wells-Fargo Express	44¾	43¾	43¾
100	Western Union	91¾	91¾	90
1,200	Westinghouse	50¾	50¼	50¼
200	Western Md. com.	44¾	44¾	44¾
700	Western Pacific com.	13¾	13¾	13¾
200	W. & L. E.	8¾	8¾	8¾
200	Do. 1st pfd	14	14	13¾
200	White Motors	39¾	39¼	39
800	White Oil	11	11	10¾
1,000	White Overland	8	8¾	8
300	Wilson Co. com.	20¼	20¾	20¾
800	Woolworth com.	132	131	131
400	Worthington P. com.	45¼	44¼	44¾
100	Do. pfd "B"	89¾	89¾	89
5,700	Standard Oil of Cal.	96¾	95	96¾
2,800	Products & Refg.			39¾
100	Am. Rollator	84¼	84¼	84¼
800	Union Bag & Paper.	71¾	71¼	71

Total sales of stocks—719,100 shares.
Total sales of bonds—$18,487,000.
Money—Opened at 5 per cent; highest, 6 per cent; lowest, 5 per cent; last loan, 6 per cent; closed, 6 per cent; ruling rate, 5 per cent.

OIL STOCKS.

[Furnished by A. H. Crary, 119 West Fourth Street, Los Angeles, Cal.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—Closing quotations:

	Bid.	Ask.
Anglo	21	21¼
Borne Scr.	825	850
Buckeye	93	98
Chesbrough	180	190
Do. pfd.	105	108
Central	125	150
Crescent	27	29
Cumberland	140	150
Eureka	78	80
Galena	40	42
Do. pfd.	100	105
New Pfd.	100	105
Ill. Pipe	162	167
Ind. Pipe	81	83
Nat. Trans.	28¾	29¼
N.Y. Trans.	100	102
Nor. Pipe	90	94
Ohio Oil	278	279
Int. Pete.	16⅝	17¼
Penn. Mar.	17	19
Prairie	0-270	280
Prairie	0-220	225
Solar Ref.	350	370
Sts. Pipe	78	80
S. Penn	0-205	215
S.W.P. Oil	50	54
S. O. Ind.	30¾	30¾
S. O. Kan.	570	580
S. O. Ky.	425	435
S.O. N.Y.	72	75
S. O. Ohio	260	265
Do. pfd.	111	113
Swan & F.	35	40
Vacuum	315	320
Wash'gton	32	35
S. O. Neb.	160	170
Imperial	110	111

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THESE BONDS will constitute an absolute closed first mortgage, in the opinion of counsel, on approximately 208,000 acres of Nevada, Utah and Idaho ranch and range lands, conservatively appraised for us at $4,221,400, or over three and one-third times the total issue. This appraisal gives the land a value of over $20 per acre, while the bonded debt is only $6 per acre. Approximately 43,000 acres of this property is bottom land lying along streams. More than 19,000 acres are under irrigation and the Company owns primary water rights sufficient to irrigate a considerably larger acreage.

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NET ASSETS of the Utah Construction Company, shown by the report of our auditors after giving consideration to the value of the mortgaged property as established by our appraisers, are $8,621,713 or 6.9 times the total bond issue. These bonds will be a direct obligation and the only funded debt of the Company.

THE BUSINESS of this company, which was incorporated and began operations under its present management twenty-one years ago, was first confined to contracting but for the past eleven years has been extended to ranching and farming operations as well. The Company has successfully completed many large construction contracts for the Southern Pacific, Union Pacific, Western Pacific, Denver & Rio Grande, Los Angeles, San Pedro & Salt Lake, San Diego & Arizona, and other important and well-known railroads. The property under this mortgage has been developed by the Company since 1910 as an investment for its surplus earnings.

TOTAL NET EARNINGS of the Company after depreciation and all taxes for the ten years ended December 31, 1920, have averaged over $554,000 per annum or more than 5.9 times maximum annual bond interest charges and over three times maximum annual bond interest and redemption charges prior to 1935.

THE TRUST DEED provides that the Company's quick assets must always be maintained at 100% of all its indebtedness including outstanding bonds.

THE MANAGEMENT and Board of Directors are of the highest type.

The preparation of the Deed of Trust to secure this issue of bonds and all proceedings incident to it have been under the direction of our attorneys, Messrs. McCutchen, Olney, Willard, Mannon and Greene, San Francisco. The mortgaged property was appraised for us by Mr. C. S. Knight, former Dean of the Agricultural College of the University of Nevada, and Mr. C. E. Fleming in charge of the Government Experimental Station at the University of Nevada.

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FOREIGN EXCHANGE; NOMINAL RATES.

Following are the foreign exchange rates upon which local business was transacted yesterday, as furnished by the foreign exchange department of the Farmers' and Mechanics' National Bank:

	Buying rate.	Over 6 (60 days).
London, par pound sterling		3 99¾
France, per 100 francs		4.12
Germany, per 100 marks		.98
Italy, per 100 lire		4.00
Holland, per 100 guilders		36.70
Sweden, per 100 kroner		21.90
Norway, per 100 kroner		18.20
Spain, per 100 pesetas		15.00
Czechoslovakia, per 100 kronen		.70
Greece, per 100 drachmas		1.30
Roumania, per 100 lei		.68
Belgium, per 100 francs		7.50
Jugo-Slavia, per 100 kronen		.62
Switzerland, per 100 francs		19.60
Denmark, per 100 kroner		21.00
Hongkong, per 100 local currency		50.65

Buying rates — Great Britain, sight, 4.17; Canadian, sight, 8.00.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—Foreign exchange strong. Great Britain, demand, 4.20¼; cable, 4.20⅝; sixty-day bills on banks, 4.17¼. France, demand, 8.28¼; cables, 8.30. Italy, demand, 4.54⅛; cables, 4.55. Belgium, demand, 8.12½; cables, 8.14. Germany, demand, .54; cables, .54. Holland, demand, 36.60; cables, 36.60. Norway, demand, 18.80. Sweden, demand, 24.90. Denmark, demand, 20.90. Switzerland, demand, 19.50. Spain, demand, 14.45. Greece, demand, 4.22. Argentina, demand, 88.80. Brazil, demand, 12.90. Montreal, 99 7-16.

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FINANCIAL.

OFFICE OF THE TIMES,
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Bank clearings yesterday were $17,085,900.48, an increase of $2,575,897.49, as compared with corresponding day for 1920.

1921	1920	1919
$17,085,900.48	$14,710,002.01	$9,040,912.36

YESTERDAY ON THE HOME EXCHANGE.

The usual Christmas lull was the order yesterday of one of the dullest days the local stock exchange has known for several months. The volume of sales was small and what little trading there was failed to reveal any definite trend. Associated Oil followed the course of the New York market and declined 3 points to 103. On the other hand, San Francisco advanced General Petroleum 2 points to 26¾. Union of California and Union of Delaware each declined ½ point to 19½ and 19¾ respectively. Los Angeles Investment was firm at 50 cents. United American advanced 1 cent to 17½ and Adams Mining was steady at 4 cents.

Following are the closing prices and sales as posted at the Los Angeles Stock Exchange building yesterday:

BANK LIST.

	Bid.	Asked.
California Bank	$190.00	....
Citizens National Bank	261.00	....
Commercial National	190.00	200.00
Farmers & Mer. National	510.00	550.00
First National	450.00	....
Merchants National	180.00	....
Security Tr. & Sav. Bank	280.00	275.00
Union Bank & Trust Co.	....	181.00
U. S. National Bank	160.00	150.00

BOND LIST.
(With Accrued Interest.)

	Bid.	Asked.
Associated Oil	103	103
Associated Oil 1st 6 ½s	....	....
Cal. Pet. 5½	....	....
Comml Power & W. Co.	....	....
Consumers Water Co.	....	....
Edison Elec. Co.	....	96
Home T. & T. Co. 1st 6s	....	....
Home T. & T. Co. 1st 5s	....	....
L. A. Gas & Elec. Cons. 5s	....	....
L. A. Investment 6s	....	....
L. A. Railway Corp. 1st 5s	....	....
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Los Angeles Gas & Elec. Cons. 5s	....	....
Los Angeles Gas & Elec. Ref. 5s	....	....
Los Angeles Gas & Elec. Ref. 6s	....	....
Los Angeles Gas & Elec. Ref. 7s	....	....
Los Angeles Ry. 1st 5s	....	....
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Los Angeles Ry. 1st 7s	....	....
Los Angeles Ry. 1st 8s	....	....
Los Angeles Ry. Ref. 5s	....	....
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Los Angeles Ry. Ref. 8s	....	....
Pacific Gas & Elec. Cons. 5s	....	....
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Pacific Gas & Elec. Ref. 8s	....	....
Pacific Light & Power Co. 1st 5s	....	....
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Pacific Light & Power Co. 1st 7s	....	....
Pacific Light & Power Co. 1st 8s	....	....
Pacific Light & Power Co. Ref. 5s	....	....
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Pacific Light & Power Co. Ref. 7s	....	....
Pacific Light & Power Co. Ref. 8s	....	....
Pacific Mutual Life 6s	....	....
Pacific Mutual Life 7s	....	....
Pacific Mutual Life 8s	....	....
Pacific Tel. & Tel. Co. 1st 5s	....	....
Pacific Tel. & Tel. Co. 1st 6s	....	....
Pacific Tel. & Tel. Co. 1st 7s	....	....
Pacific Tel. & Tel. Co. 1st 8s	....	....
Pacific Tel. & Tel. Co. Ref. 5s	....	....
Pacific Tel. & Tel. Co. Ref. 6s	....	....
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Steamer Avalon, Capt. Sundman, Gray's Harbor.
Steamer Lewis Luckenbach, Capt. Closson, San Francisco.
Steamer Anne Hanify, Capt. Frederickson, Puget Sound.
Steamer Daisy Gadsby, Capt. Schultz, Gray's Harbor.
Steamer Fort Angeles, Capt. Dahlquist, Puget Sound, towing barge Rufus H. Wood.
Steamer F. S. Loop, Capt. Larsen, Tacoma.
Steamer Lieber, Capt. Cazeaux, Everett.
Steamer Fort Bragg, Capt. Sinclair, Fort Bragg.
Steamer Hyades, Capt. Donaldson, San Francisco.
Steamer Dakotan, Capt. Carlisle, San Francisco.
Steamer Pacific, Capt. Hammar, Puget Sound.
Steamer Santa Barbara, Capt. Hansen, Seattle.
Steamer Wapama, Capt. Bellport, Portland.
Steamer Davenport, Capt. Nielsen, Portland.
Finding boats Magnet and New Life, Mexican waters.

SAILED—MONDAY, DEC. 19.

Steamer Humboldt, Capt. Baughman, San Francisco.
Steamer Edward Luckenbach, Capt. Bown, San Francisco.
Steamer Lewis Luckenbach, Capt. Closson, New York.
Steamer G. C. Lindauer, Capt. Hansen, Redondo Beach.
Jap. steamer Tacoma Maru, Capt. Kamhobi, Yokohama.
Steamer Sea Foam, Capt. Simonsen, Fort Bragg.
Steamer Admiral Farragut, Capt. Hill, San Diego.
Steamer Balto, Capt. Nelson, Astoria.

PASSENGER SCHEDULE.

TO ARRIVE.

Dec. 20—Admiral Farragut, San Diego, 8 p.m.
Dec. 21—Harvard, San Francisco, 10 a.m.
Dec. 21—President, Puget Sound, 11 a.m.
Dec. 21—Dollie, Portland, 6 p.m.
Dec. 22—Yale, San Francisco, 10 a.m.
Dec. 22—Humboldt, San Francisco, 6 a.m.
Dec. 22—Seijo Maru, Hongkong, 6 a.m.
Dec. 23—Senator, Portland, 4 p.m.
Dec. 23—Humboldt, San Francisco, 6 a.m.
Dec. 23—Multnomah, Puget Sound, 6 a.m.
Dec. 24—Harvard, San Francisco, 10 a.m.
Dec. 24—President, San Francisco, 11 p.m.
Dec. 24—Yale, San Francisco, 10 a.m.
Dec. 25—Admiral Dewey, Puget Sound, 4 p.m.

TO DEPART.

Dec. 20—Yale, San Francisco, 3 p.m.
Dec. 20—Admiral Farragut, Puget Sound, 10 p.m.
Dec. 21—Harvard, San Francisco, 3 p.m.
Dec. 21—President, San Francisco, 10 p.m.
Dec. 22—Senator, San Diego, 11 p.m.
Dec. 23—Yale, San Francisco, 3 p.m.
Dec. 24—Harvard, San Francisco, 4 p.m.
Dec. 25—Humboldt, San Francisco, 9 p.m.
Dec. 25—Yale, San Francisco, 3 p.m.
Dec. 25—President, Puget Sound, 10 a.m.

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IN PORT.

Steamer West Montop, Watchhorn basin.
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Motorship Angel, inner harbor.
Steamer Quinault, inner harbor.
Motorship Rio Bravo, A. S. & D. D. Co.
Steamer Ryder Hardy, inner harbor.
Steamer Alice Blanchard, inner harbor.
Steamer Idaho, Hammond Lumber Co.
Steamer Sea Foam, inner harbor.
Steamer Trinidad, Hammond Lumber Co.

COASTWISE CARGO CARRIERS.

Steamer Griffin, Tacoma.
Motorship Columbia, Puget Sound.
British steamer Canadian Rover, Ocean Falls, B. C.
British steamer Canadian Observer, B. C. ports.
Steamer Stanwood, Tacoma, Dec. 17.
Steamer San Diego, Tacoma, Dec. 17.
Steamer Santa Alicia, Astoria, Dec. 18.
Steamer Hualda, San Francisco, Dec. 18.
Steamer Martin M. Johnson, Albion, Dec. 17.
Steamer Frank D. Stout, Aberdeen, Dec. 16.
Steamer Carlos, Aberdeen, Dec. 16.
Steamer Phyllis, Tacoma, Dec. 16.
Steamer Forest King, Puget Sound, Dec. 16.
Steamer Celilo, Portland, Dec. 18.
Steamer Martin M. Johnson, Albion, Dec. 17.
Steamer Flavel, Portland, Dec. 18.
Steamer Catherine G. Sudden, Gray's Harbor, Dec. 17.
Steamer San Jacinto, Gray's Harbor, Dec. 17.
Steamer Atlas, Astoria, Dec. 18.
Steamer Avalon, Gray's Harbor, Dec. 18.
Steamer Wahkeena, Gray's Harbor, Dec. 18.
Steamer Brunswick, Fort Bragg, Dec. 18.
Steamer Multnomah, Puget Sound, Dec. 18.

OFF SHORE—LOADING.

Steamer Frederick Luckenbach, N. O.-P. S.
Danish steamer Rima, Antwerp.
Steamer Atlanta City, New York.
Steamer Nyanza, New Orleans.
Steamer West Islets, Portland, Me.
Steamer Mobile City, Puget Sound-New York.
Steamer Wilhelm, Puget Sound-N. Y.
Nor. m.s. Tuna, Antwerp.
Steamer Ohioan, New York.
Steamer Artigas, P. S.-Portland, Me.
Steamer Argyll, P. S.-Valparaiso.
Steamer Virginian, P. S.-Boston.
Steamer Mercier, Portland-Europe.
Steamer Katrina Luckenbach, P.-N. Y.
Steamer Dorbay, P. S.-Valparaiso.
Steamer C. Heist Exporter, Hamburg.
Steamer Artiscan, Boston.
Steamer Floridian, Hamburg.
Steamer Red Rock, P. S.-Baltimore.
Steamer Osage, New Orleans.
Motorship Emanuel, New York.
Steamer Rotarian, Buenos Aires.
Steamer Edgar Luckenbach, New York.
Steamer Ecuador, Baltimore.
Steamer K. J. Luckenbach, New York.
Steamer Cape Romain, Philadelphia.

OFF SHORE—EN ROUTE.

Danish steamer Parana, Antwerp, Nov. 28.
Steamer Acor, Orbo, Nov. 28.
Steamer Rio, Rio de Janeiro, Dec. 1.
Norwegian motorship Norgland, Christiania, via Baltos, Dec. 1.
Steamer Willsboro, Baltimore; arrived at Cristobal Dec. 12.
British steamer Merchant, Glasgow, Nov. 29.
Norwegian motorship Theo. Roosevelt, Antwerp, via Baltos, Dec. 14.
Norwegian steamer Baja California, Rumanian, via Baltos, Dec. 2.
Dutch steamer Moerdyk, London, via Baltos, Dec. 14.
Steamer West Prospect, Hongkong, Dec. 9.
Steamer Alaskan, Boston via Baltos, Dec. 10.
Steamer Venezuela, Baltimore, via Baltos, Dec. 11.
Steamer Mundo, New York, Dec. 7.
Steamer Princess, New York, Dec. 7.
Steamer Hattie Luckenbach, New Orleans, Nov. 30.
Steamer Thomas F. Bual, Baltimore, Dec. 12.
Japanese steamer Seijo Maru, Orient, via Hilo, Dec. 10.
Steamer Rodyk, Baltimore, Dec. 10.
Steamer Julia Luckenbach, Philadelphia, Dec. 17.
Japanese steamer Ginyo Maru, Calliao, Dec. 12.
Steamer Stanley Dollar, New York, via Baltos, Dec. 13.
Steamer Bohemian Club, Honolulu, Dec. 11.
Steamer Henry S. Grove, Philadelphia, Dec. 14.
Steamer Erlangham, Antwerp; arrived at Norfolk Dec. 16.
Steamer Mexican, New York, Dec. 15.
Steamer Lehigh, Philadelphia; arrived at Cristobal Dec. 16.
Steamer Odium, Calbo, Dec. 15.
Steamer Steel Mariner, New York, Dec. 9.
Danish motorship Kobenhaven, Antwerp, Dec. 1.
Steamer American, New York, via Cristobal, Dec. 16.
Steamer Hawkeye State, Baltimore, via Baltos, Dec. 14.
Steamer West Carmona, Yokohama, Dec. 15.
Steamer Florence Luckenbach, New York, via Baltos, Dec. 13.
Steamer Montgomery City, New Orleans, via Baltos, Dec. 14.

CHANGE O MASTERS.

Steamer Dungarvon, 4465 tons; Donald G. Wallace, vice Alex Olsen.
Steamer Hoosier State, 8260 tons; Thomas Blau, vice Ryland Drennan.

TIDE TABLE.

Tides are given in the order of their occurrence. On some days but three tides occur, the fourth tide occurring the following morning. Heights are reckoned from mean lower low water.

	High.	Low.	High.	Low.
Tuesday, Dec. 20..	1:31	7:18	1:59	7:55
	5.3	1.3	5.0	0.1
Wednesday, Dec. 21..	2:30	9:02	2:29	8:57
	5.2	2.1	4.4	0.9
Thursday, Dec. 22..	3:34	10:36	4:00	10:08
	5.1	1.0	4.0	1.1
Friday, Dec. 23..	4:15	11:31	5:28	11:09
	5.0	0.0	4.0	1.1
Saturday, Dec. 24..	5:42	12:47	6:46	11:59
	5.1	0.3	4.1	1.1
Sunday, Dec. 25..	6:28	1:34	7:44	....
	5.5	0.2	4.2	....
	Low.	High.	Low.	High.
Monday, Dec. 26..	12:46	7:10	2:15	8:28
	1.8	6.7	0.5	4.4

The motorship William Donovan, which has been on the dry dock at the Los Angeles shipyard for the past few days' is nearly ready for sea again after having some twelve feet of her keel renewed. The Donovan struck the bar at Gray's Harbor when coming out and put into Astoria, where a pump was installed for the purpose of keeping the vessel free of water on the way down the Coast.

The steamer Bohemian Club, Capt. Agerup, is due here from Hawaii on Tuesday, this being the vessel's first call at this port. The steamer is a tanker of the most modern type and was named for the well-known Bohemian Club at San Francisco, in honor of invaluable services rendered during the World War.

FACES NEW CHARGE.

Sensation is Promised in Case of Culver City Politician.

As the result of additional evidence given before the Federal grand jury last Friday, a new charge of violating the national prohibition law has been filed against Camilio Cerighino, a politician of Culver City. When a similar charge was made against Cerighino last October, it was asserted politics were behind it.

Cerighino will be arraigned before U. S. Commissioner Long this morning, when, it is rumored, sensational testimoney will be submitted regardig affairs in Culver City.

NAME SHIPS TO RELIEVE THREE HERE

U.S.S. Altair, Antares and Yukon to Join Pacific Fleet Early Next Year.

Official announcement of the names of the vessels that are to relieve the U.S.S. Nanshan, U.S.S. Panther and the U.S.S. Glacier, ships of the Pacific Fleet train, recently ordered out of commission, was received at fleet headquarters yesterday.

The Panther is to be relieved by the Altair, now under construction at a New York shipyard. She will be ready about April 1. The Nanshan's successor as target repair ship will be the Antares, now building at Philadelphia. She also will be ready for duty about April 1. The Nanshan's equipment will be taken to Philadelphia and placed on board the new ship by the U.S.S. Saturn.

The supply ship Glacier is to be relieved by the Yukon, a modern refrigerator ship now nearing completion at Philadelphia. She will be ready for service about February 1. The Glacier's equipment is to go to Philadelphia on the Quincy.

Another ship soon to join the Pacific Fleet train is the collier Jason, which is scheduled to leave Hampton Roads, Va., today for Los Angeles Harbor with a cargo of coal for the Texas and New York, the only coal-burning dreadnaughts in the Pacific Fleet.

The Rappahannock, another supply ship, now on this Coast, is scheduled to sail from San Diego for Los Angeles Harbor January 4.

With the exception of the Tennessee and the New York, all the ships of the Pacific battle fleet will be at their home port at the harbor for Christmas. The Tennessee and New York are at the Puget Sound navy yard, completing their winter overhaul. They will sail for their base at Los Angeles Harbor about January 1, it is said.

The Texas, only ship of the big fleet that has not been to the navy yard for winter overhaul and dry docking, is scheduled to sail from her base here the 30th inst., for Puget Sound. She is expected to return about February 1.

The flagship New Mexico and the Idaho returned to their base from San Francisco Sunday afternoon. The Pennsylvania, another ship of the Eighth Battle Division, returned at noon yesterday after undergoing full power runs on her way south from the San Francisco base.

NAVAL ORDERS.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—Naval orders: Chief P. F. Kelly to Washington.
Commander John Grady to Boston.
Lieut.-Commander W. K. Harrill to Annapolis, D. C.
Lieut. J. A. Algeo to U.S.S. Delaware.
Lieut. L. R. Austin to home.
Lieut. W. H. Bagley to U.S.S. Cormorant.
Lieut. W. W. Bagley to U.S.S. Olympia.
Lieut. Michael Garland to U.S.S. Florida.
Lieut. A. G. Howe to U.S.S. New York.
Lieut. E. P. Lacey to U.S.S. Tennessee.
Lieut. Wm. Moeller to U.S.S. Idaho.
Lieut. J. Pendleton to U.S.S. Pennsylvania.
Lieut. E. P. Speer to U.S.S. Meade.
Lieut. G. G. Weninger to U.S.S. Kitty.
Lieut. R. N. Gerhart to U.S.S. Romney.
Lieut. Q. F. Volk to U.S.S. Mississippi.
Lieut. C. F. Weber to U.S.S. Nevada.
Lieut. J. F. W. Gray to U.S.S. Gamble.
Lieut. L. J. Gobrecht to U.S.S. Gillis.
Lieut. W. W. Smith to U.S.S. Arizona.
Lieut. J. L. Kershaw to U.S.S. Oklahoma.
Lieut. W. J. Lowe to U.S.S. Texas.
Lieut. J. Wilkinson to U.S.S. Montgomery.
Ensign Steadham Achee to Pearl Harbor, T. H.
Ensign W. R. Dolan to U.S.S. Savannah.
Ensign J. H. Hyke to Pensacola, Fla.
Ensign V. W. Grady to U.S.S. Kennedy.
Ensign R. Rumble to U.S.S. Charleston.
Commander S. L. Higgins to U.S.S. Mexico.
Commander R. E. Hoops to Pearl Harbor, T. H.
Lieut. W. H. Harrell to U.S.S. Lassata.
Lieut. W. C. Kelley to U.S.S. Saltese.
Lieut.-Commander E. G. Marcell to U.S.S. Alert.
Lieut. R. B. Dunlap to naval station, Guam.
Lieut. H. A. Thomas to U.S.S. Charleston.
Lieut. Frank Welch to Charleston, S. C.
Lieut. Dorlous Nyburg to U.S.S. Aroostook.
Lieut. (jg) Thomas Jones to Philadelphia.
Gunner R. N. Daniel to U.S.S. Delaware.
Gunner J. H. Kane to U.S.S. Arkansas.
Gunner J. J. Nisbet to U.S.S. North Dakota.
Chief Carpenter C. J. Lishman to U.S.S. Mississippi.
A. P. Clerk C. C. Hiles to U.S.S. Capella.
Lieut.-Commander Otto Rine Deviaaux to U.S.S. Kaweah.
Lieut.-Commander Preston Herndon to U.S.S. Laramie.
Lieut.-Commander S. W. Hickey to U.S.S. Capella.
Lieut. J. H. Bradshaw to U.S.S. Capella.
Lieut. A. A. Littlefield to U.S.S. Orion.
Lieut. J. W. Tootbill to U.S.S. Kaweah.
Lieut.-C. B. Wiswell to U.S.S. Laramie.
Lieut. C. H. Ford to U.S.S. Kaweah.
Lieut. F. Lorbis to U.S.S. Capella.
Lieut. J. F. Lorbis to U.S.S. Capella.
Lieut. R. H. Lee to U.S.S. Capella.
Lieut. C. H. Lee to U.S.S. Capella.
Lieut. G. D. Sherman to U.S.S. Kaweah.

The temporary appointment as lieutenant of the following officers will terminate on December 31, 1921, and they will revert to their permanent qualified status: J. M. Acuff, C. F. Adams, W. W. Adams, J. S. Alvis, M. J. Anderson, J. J. Bagley, Maitland Bassett, Christian Baur, J. J. Bayer, H. A. Beaman, P. C. Becker, Christopher Bill, O. E. Bennett, H. A. Bertolette, George Bettis, R. S. Bissell, L. L. Bloomquist, O. A. Bowers, L. F. Bray, Miles Brazil, O. L. Brewington, W. E. Bringhurst, A. A. Brown, E. W. Brumbaugh, H. E. Burgess, A. J. Butler, H. J. Carey, Christian Christensen, C. A. Cole, J. R. Conrad, J. J. Coogan, Thomas Cooper, C. F. Cordes, J. F. Costello, G. F. Coulson, L. C. Crow, J. R. Cuff, F. T. Current, Enos Dalton, Robert J. Dennis, W. F. Dietz, Thomas G. H. Dolan, O. M. Donovan, M. H. Downs, A. M. Dryden, C. R. Dunnam, F. A. Egan, C. O. Eaton, Oscar Erickson, A. J. Fabian, A. M. Fenter, C. H. Fields, J. E. Finn, P. H. Foley, W. E. Follis, Thomas Gilmore, H. J. Gordon, W. A. Gordon, C. W. Gray, Oscar T. Harris, F. C. Heale, L. B. Hendren, Carl Hewitt, W. E. Hewitt, Walter Hinton, C. A. Holbrook, A. F. Holst, L. C. Doniston, L. B. Hubbell, Ralph Hunt, E. N. Jolly, H. G. Jones, Thomas R. T. Jones, R. A. Jones, A. P. Judson, William Kadesky, S. A. Katz, Stanley Kasmarck, Howard Keown, Charles Keenan, Frederick Kell and J. A. Kelly.

RADIO REPORT.

[BY U. S. NAVAL RADIO COMMUNICATION SERVICE.]

8 p.m., Dec. 18.—S.S. Alaskan, New York for Los Angeles, 600 miles south of Los Angeles; S.S. Meridian, Antofagasta for San Francisco, 1401 miles south of San Francisco; S.S. Spreckels, Los Angeles for New York, 1420 miles south of San Pedro; S.S. Robin Adair, Los Angeles for New York, 805 miles south of Los Angeles; S.S. Kinderdyke, San Francisco for Colombo, 1120 miles south of San Francisco; S.S. West Jaddon, Cebu for Boston, Lat. 20.5 N., Long. 118.2 W.

[BY RADIO CORPORATION OF AMERICA.]

8 p.m., Dec. 18.—S.S. Enterprise, San Francisco for Hilo, 836 miles from San Francisco; S.S. Hoosier State, San Francisco for Honolulu, 480 miles west of San Francisco; S.S. Johanna Smith, San Francisco for Coos Bay, 127 miles from San Francisco; S.S. Archer, New York for Yokohama, 3147 miles east of Honolulu; S.S. Fred Baxter, Los Angeles for Manila, 272 miles from Los Angeles; S.S. Senator, Portland for San Francisco, 348 miles north of San Francisco; S.S. Prosperina, San Francisco, 393 miles north of San Francisco; S.S. Knoxville, Port Townsend from Shanghai, 900 miles west of Port Townsend; S.S. Pacific City, San Francisco for Kobe 1070 miles west of San Francisco; S.S. Matsonia, Honolulu for San Francisco, 887 miles from San Francisco; S.S. Kinderdyk, San Francisco for Southampton, 2000 miles south of San Francisco; S.S. Manoa, San Francisco for Honolulu, 1212 miles from San Francisco; S.S. China Arrow, Los Angeles for Tsuaki, 2500 miles west of Los Angeles; S.S. China, San Francisco for Hongkong, 2140 miles west of San Francisco; S.S. Eldridge, Seattle for Yokohama, 1415 miles from Yokohama; S.S. Shabonee, San Francisco for Shanghai, from 1700 miles east of Manila; S.S. Eclipse, New York for Yokohama, 2229 miles southeast of Yokohama; S.S. Andrea F. Lucchenbach, Westport, Eng., for Seattle, sailed 5 p.m.; S.S. Roosevelt, Shanghai for Port Townsend, 1640 miles from Port Townsend; S.S. Edgerdo, San Francisco for New Orleans, 1748 miles south of San Francisco; S.S. Santa Cruz, San Francisco for Punta Arenas, 1905 miles south of San Francisco.

GERMANY NOT POOR COUNTRY.

American Sees Field for Investment.

Basic Wealth of Natioh is Untouched.

Could Pay Indemnity, Says Hotel Man.

[BY CABLE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

LONDON, Dec. 19.—Observations of an American business man on Germany's capacity to meet the indemnity payments are interesting at this time. James B. Regan, formerly proprietor of the Hotel Knickerbocker, has returned to London from a German trip. As he went for the purpose of examining the country as a field for investment, his testimony bears on the main question now before the allied diplomats.

After looking into conditions, Mr. Regan made investments in the following classes of stocks: Textiles, electrical plants, Bavarian waterworks, dye factories and coal and iron.

"Marks and the stock market see-saw up and down," said Mr. Regan. "As marks go down, stocks go up and vice-versa. In other words the Germans are not deceived and have no faith in their marks. Dollars are the actual measure of volume and they know that whatever happens to the mark, Germany's basic wealth remains. In such lines as toys, glass, china and electrical outfits, they have contracts for months ahead and these and some other industries are working twenty-four hours a day on six-hour shifts.

HAVE RAW MATERIALS.

"In the woolen mills near Berlin, I saw more raw material than I had ever seen in any one plant. It was purchased in Australia. These mills are paying labor in marks but selling their products in dollar prices plus profit. All the dye companies in Germany have entered a huge combine and will thus have a great advantage in beating competition in this line.

"German industry has not waited for the political finalities, but has been organizing and working with energy as sustained as it is feverish. The fear of bolshevism in Germany may be dismissed as unfounded. Whenever any kind of disorder shows its head Germans know how to deal with it."

COULD MAKE PAYMENT.

When asked whether Germany could pay her indemnity obligations, Mr. Regan replied:

"According to the financiers I met, Germany could take care of the January payment with funds she has already accumulated in Holland, America and other foreign countries. With a moratorium or a loan she could pay everything she has contracted. All she needs is a breathing spell.

"There is room for greater taxation in Germany. The government has not yet gone the limit in levying taxes. If there were the same efficiency in public as in private business the revenues could be vastly increased. Germany is prosperous, not an impoverished community, with staying-power difficult to exaggerate. Demoralization does not extend very deep below the surface. Those in control are sitting tight and waiting for the best deal they can get, knowing that the world is eager for business recovery and what an important contribution Germany can make to that end."

SAYS WIFE IS DOMESTIC RECLUSE.

Refuses to Speak to Him, Dentist Who Seeks a Divorce Asserts.

Charges to the effect that his wife is a domestic recluse and hermit, and that she shut herself in her rooms for days at a time, are contained in a divorce complaint filed yesterday by Dr. William J. Fleckenstein, a dentist, against Mrs. Blanche Fleckenstein. Dr. Fleckenstein asserts further that Mrs. Fleckenstein would not permit him to speak to her.

The couple live in a beautiful home at 1460 West Adams street. In his complaint Mr. Fleckenstein also asserts that for some time he has wanted to move to a less palatial home, on Rimpau Boulevard, but that his wife will not permit it. This and other things led her, the complaint recites, to assume the attitude of a hermit toward her husband.

The complaint, which was prepared by Attorney Clyde Woodworth, further asserts that the couple were married in Hamburg, Germany, in 1902, and separated last October.

ACTS ON SLAYING.

Council Votes Reward for Capture of Man Who Killed Officer.

A reward of $5000 for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the slayer or slayers of Detective Sergeant J. B. Fitzgerald was voted by the City Council yesterday. The police have a warrant for the arrest of Phillip Alguin, charging the killing of Fitzgerald last spring. Chief Jones believes the reward offered will hasten the apprehension of Alguin.

GETS JAIL TERM.

Man Caught in Hollywood is Sentenced as Vagrant.

Willis Hightower, 30 years of age, who was arrested in Hollywood several days ago while in company with a youth who was carrying a revolver, was sentenced yesterday to 180 days in the City Jail on a vagrancy charge. High tower, the police say, confessed the right of his arrest that he had intended to hold up the first pedestrian he encountered.

JAP SEAMEN GET BOOST IN WAGES.

Increase of 27 Per Cent Granted; Had Asked 100 Per Cent.

[BY A. P. CORRESPONDENCE.]

TOKIO, Nov. 22.—Seamen of several Japanese lines, including the Toyo Kisen Kaisha, Nippon Yusen Kaisha and Osaka Shosen Kaisha, recently were granted a 27 per cent increase in wages after demanding a 100 per cent rise.

OFFICERS RELEASE SUSPECT.

Man Held by Pomona Police Given Liberty After Severe Two-Day Grilling.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

POMONA, Dec. 19.—After two days of grilling at the hands of the police, Robert Miller Burner, 20-year-old Fontana youth, who for a time, was suspected of the slaying of Mrs. Catherine Swain in this city on the morning of December 12, was absolved of any complicity in the crime and was placed in the custody of the constable at Rialto today.

Burner was arrested by Chief of Police Lyter and Detectives Chambers and Munson, after the police had received an anonymous note accusing the boy of the crime. He was taken in custody at his Fontana home yesterday morning, but after two days devoted to questioning him, the Pomona police are convinced Burner is not guilty of taking part in the murder of Mrs. Swain. Chief Lyter stated the boy confessed to stealing a shotgun in Rialto, and for this offense he was turned over to the constable.

The body of Mrs. Swain, Pomona business woman, whose bound body was found in the charred remains of her shop, was taken to Pasadena today and cremated. No funeral will be held until the husband, J. T. Swain, arrives from the East. He is due to arrive Wednesday.

Games galore at "Coronado."—[Advertisement.]

LEARNED IT IN JAIL.

Ex-Service Man is Sentenced for Counterfeiting Bills.

Leslie T. Wheeler, 23 years of age, with a record of two years, service in the Army, the possessor of an honorable discharge and a commercial school in Montana, victory button and a graduate of a pleaded guilty in U. S. Dist. Judge Bledsoe's Court yesterday to raising and altering Federal reserve one-dollar notes to tens. He was sentenced to serve six years in the Federal Penitentiary on McNeil Island.

Wheeler admitted he made and passed twenty-five or thirty of the spurious bills. He gave as his excuse for so doing that he was out of work and had to have money to live.

So clever was the counterfeit that the bills went through several banks unchallenged. Wheeler said he learned how to alter the bills when he was confined in jail in Fresno with a clever counterfeiter.

WOULD AMEND LAWS.

Safety Committee Recommends Changes to City Council.

Important amendments to the city's building laws were recommended yesterday afternoon by the Public Safety Committee of the City Council. The chief change suggested was the prohibiting of builders from storing materials on the public streets in the congested part of the city. It will also be illegal, if the proposed amendment is adopted, to unload and hoist steel girders from the streets, except between the hours of 6 p.m. and 8 a.m.

The changes were suggested primarily in the direction of relieving traffic congestion.

WILL TRY HANDLEY SUIT ON THURSDAY.

The suit of Elizabeth K. J. Handley, widow of Lorin A. Handley, former State prohibition director, to recover $19,000 damages from the estate of John E. Murray will be heard Thursday before Judge Pat Parker. The Guaranty Trust and Savings Bank, executor of the Murray estate, is defendant.

Failure of the executor to approve a sale of the lease of the Murray Apartments, in which Mr. Handley had an interest, is asserted by the plaintiff.

ACCIDENTS REPORTED.

Number of Traffic Mishaps in Week-End Sets High Mark.

Establishing a record for accidents on Saturday and Sunday, the Police Traffic Bureau reported yesterday that in the week-end 170 property accidents were reported and thirty-three personal injury accidents were brought to the attention of the police. Of the injured fifteen were pedestrians and eighteen were riding in automobiles.

LOAN MILLIONS TO DENMARK.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—A $30,000,000 loan to the Kingdom of Denmark has been made by the National City Company, which is affiliated with the National City Bank.

ADA GILMAN.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 19.—Ada Gilman, 67 years old, one of the best-known actresses on the American stage for nearly half a century, died yesterday at the Edwin Forrest Home for Actors at Holmesburg.

CAMPBELL MAY CALL SESSION.

Arizona Governor Expected Home Soon.

Legislators Not in Favor of Convening.

Politics Back of Passage of Proposed Bill.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

PHOENIX (Ariz.) Dec. 19.—Gov. Campbell will return this week from Washington, where he joined the Arizona Congressional delegation in urging protection for Arizona long-staple cotton. Whether he will announce a special legislative session is being discussed.

Democrats believe the session, if called, will be Republican in both branches. One Republican, Milner of Cochise, has resigned from the House, but a number of the Democratic House members are said to be missing from the State. The elected strength of the Senate shows a Republican majority of one and in the House a similar Democratic majority.

The Governor is known to be strong in his belief that his Illinois administration bill, shrinking the State's administrative units into a few divisions, would be panacea for all economic ills with which Arizona now is afflicted.

This bill failed in the House at the regular session by a strict party vote.

In neither Republican nor Democratic circles does there appear much support for the special session proposition. Both parties regard it as something that would do neither party good and one that has possibilities of trouble.

D. L. Cunningham, for nine years a member of the supreme bench of Arizona, will move in January to San Pedro, Cal., where he will make a specialty of admiralty law.

In the Superior Court here, a jury returned a verdict of $8500 in favor of Fred Clements, age 8, who, on Nov. 20, 1920, picked up a fulminate blasting cap at Marinette, near the gin of the Southwest Cotton Company, and who, trying to force the cap on the end of a pencil, blew a thumb and two fingers from his left hand, and injured his eyesight. The cap was said to have been left on the ground by employees of the company who had been breaking scrap iron by the use of dynamite.

Market Men to Provide Food for the Needy.

Anxious to participate in the spreading of Yuletide cheer among the poor of the city, renters of stalls in the Los Angeles Public Market, San Pedro and Ninth streets, yesterday notified the Social Service Bureau, which is in charge of the distribution of Christmas baskets to the needy, that a fund exceeding $1000 has been raised among the marketmen for extra gift baskets. A list of the contents proposed to be put in each basket, submitted to the commission for approval, includes meat, groceries, fruit, nuts and candy.

The subscribers of the fund volunteered to attend to the distribution to those families or individuals to whom such a gift would be welcome. They suggest the Social Service Bureau provide a list of the same.

Seventy-six More Men on Police Beats.

Seventy-six new police officers were assigned to patrol beats in the city yesterday. Other men to make up the total allowed by the City Council are being sworn in and instructed with as much speed as possible, according to Police Inspector McDowell.

Of the new men put to work yesterday, twelve were sent to the Hollywood division, seven to the Lincoln Heights division, six to the Boyle Heights division, three to the San Pedro division, twenty-one to the University division and twenty-seven to the Central division.

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KING INTRODUCES IMMIGRATION BILL.

WOULD RESTRICT ALIENS TO TWO PER CENT OF THOSE HERE IN 1910.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—Senator King, Democrat, Utah, introduced in the Senate today an immigration bill which he said he hoped would serve as the basis for a decision which would lead to the establishment of a permanent immigration policy by the government. The measure provides for the restriction of entry of aliens to 2 per cent each year of a number of any given nationality in this country in 1910.

It also would require prospective immigrants to register with American consular agents in their respective countries, and all aliens who have been in this country longer than three months would have to register at their nearest postoffice.

The bill would set up a board consisting of the Assistant Secretaries of Labor, State, Commerce, Agriculture and Interior, with broad powers to handle the entire immigration question.

DRUG PURVEYOR SENTENCED.

James Lyons, colored, a quick-lunch proprietor, was sentenced to serve two years and a half in the Federal Penitentiary on McNeil Island by U. S. Dist. Judge Bledsoe yesterday for violation of the Harrison Narcotic Law. About twenty grains of cocaine were found in Lyons's room at the Western Hotel. He has been under suspicion for some time as a peddler of the drug.

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Floor lamps, end tables, cabinets, cedar chests, window chairs and rockers, couch for sun parlor, piano benches, telephone stands, kitchen cabinets, dining and served tables, console, library, cutlery and end tables, high grade overstuffed set, upholstered in velour, tapestry or cretonne, including full bed, with all the other pieces included. Rest with self-locking carved base. Fine selection of Queen Anne, Jacobean, Colonial pieces in various woods, mahogany, satin wood and fruity weathered oak; desks and secretaries, tea tables and chairs for dining-room in mahogany and oak; also 10 ft. new French sofa, in mahogany, all exposed parts hand carved. Come and see any article you desire.
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CAN'T BE UNDERSOLD.
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CADILLAC touring, model 57, 5-pass., 7 wire wheels, chassis overhauled, motor A-1 condition, new paint, new top, upholstery like new, tires 90%. Price $1250. Terms. 1118 S. LOS ANGELES ST.

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For Sale, Exchange, Wanted, To Let.

FOR SALE—
FOR IMMEDIATE SALE.

WILL SACRIFICE.
My beautiful 2-story white plaster colonial mansion, located in the finest section of Hollywood, north of the boulevard and near the foothills. Lot 70x150. House has 11 rooms, 2 baths and sleeping porch. Interior decorations oil on canvas throughout. Home is beautifully and expensively furnished. Silk and velour tapestries. Woodwork southern gum wood. Chemanius walnut finish. Individual heating system, electrically controlled. Large double garage. Beautiful lawns and shrubbery. House built and furnished 18 months ago and occupied by owner. Will sell house, or will sell house and furnishings cost $45,000, lot for quick action will sell for $37,500. OWNER, Main 6260 on week days or Hollywood 2667 on Sunday or evenings.

FOR SALE—$6500 MANSION.
Modern 4-room bungalow, fine location, large lot, very easy terms. Price $4850.

Fire-room colonial bungalow, completely furnished, beautiful lot. $1000 undeveloped.

Lot 50x150, with double garage on rear street, up to live in. Buy this, live in garage while you build a home or erect on front of lot. We have a bargain price on this.

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Other real bargains

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FOR SALE—
WEST HOLLYWOOD.
WEST HOLLYWOOD.

We are reserving lot in second unit of Cielo Vista Terrace (Harper Estate.) All sides on the gentle south slope of the mountain, overlooking city and valley.

North side $2000, $2500, 1-3 cash. Be sure to see this highly improved foothill tract.

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DIETZ-HARTWELL CO.,
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$6000 cash will handle one of two exceptional 6-family flats situated north of Hollywood Blvd. on a street that is fast becoming business property. The price is $18,500 for one, or $36,500 for the two. The income on this property is based on present rents, which are 25 per cent less than anything of its class north of the Boulevard. See MR. GLOVER.

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NEW SPANISH BUNGALOW.
This is a fine, well built home in the Wilshire district, 5 rooms and breakfast nook; beautiful flowers and lawn. cash or terms. Price $6500.

OWNER,
REAL BARGAIN, FOR SALE BY THE
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FOR SALE—
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Fury 4, comfortable two-room modern with bath, etc., on 4 large unrestricted lots in a rapidly growing commercial district, one block from new bank, store, etc. Room for four more rooms. A temporary home cheaper than rent and an investment or chance to speculate. Price $3600; balance $25 monthly.

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FOR SALE—$6000 HANDLES 2-STORY, 10 ROOMS BEAUTIFUL, EXTRA MODERN ITALIAN STYLE RESIDENCE. Located on lot 60x140 on Sunset Blvd., Virgil and Edgeware cars; finished in solid mahogany, at floors throughout, 2 baths, 2 toilets, with one lavatory. View of ocean, mountain and sea; lot 100x150, double garage; terraced garden effect with fish and fruit trees; flowers in bloom in rear for harvest or rent. Will take smaller home at first payment; $16,000. Phone WIL. 417.

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A CHRISTMAS PRESENT
FOR YOUR FAMILY.

Beautiful 6-room bungalow. Each room has large and ample closets; has both sand-stuff hardwood floors, sun porch, lovely fireplace, fine, beautiful mantel, good location. THIS IS A WONDERFUL BARGAIN AT $7450. Easy terms.

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CENTRAL BUSINESS CORNER.
60x150.
$5000 WILL HANDLE.

Rare opportunity to acquire prominent business corner on exceptional terms. Will consider long term lease at low rental with option to purchase at very attractive figure during first 10 years.

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$6000—$2000—$2000—$2000.
$1400 first payment, and $45 monthly will handle a new 5-room bungalow, with all the attractive arts and modern improvements on a large lot in West Hollywood. Also a splendid 4-room cottage, with a small five-room cottage on the rear of the lot. A real comfortable home and a nice little income property for $6000 or $7000.

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ONLY $1500 CASH.
LOVELY 6-ROOM BUNGALOW.
3 bedrooms and every convenience.
NEAR HEART OF HOLLYWOOD.
May Try Bal.
M. JAMISON.
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CHAS. DOUBLE, N. OF SUNSET.
Finest location, all hardwood, double garage, with drive, near beautiful home, only at $10,000. Another Dutch colonial on choice lot for $9000. Both are real bargains. Call HOLLY 3542 or 6447 ELFANDO.

FOR SALE—An artist's home, exquisitely built, ideally situated in Hollywood; beautiful view; 6 rooms, sleeping porches, large pergola, outdoor fireplace, fountain, good shrubbery and lawn. Sell all or in part. See OWNER, 2471 Beachwood Dr. Holly 3152.

FOR SALE—REAL VERMONT BARGAIN.
Lot 48x145; good 6-room house. Income $100 a month. Must be sold this week. 2 blocks from Hollywood Blvd. Price $5000. Cash, $2000.
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FOR SALE—Beautiful West Hollywood 6-room bungalow, nicely furnished. Ready to move in this month. $6200. Terms. RUSSELL, 4320 Sunset Blvd. 598724; evenings, 51220 or Pico 1146.

FOR SALE—Lovely, well sacrifice 8-room residence, cent. Holly, 4 bedrooms, garage. West home bargain. 10600. HOLLY 1965.

FOR SALE—Lot on Norton Ave. near Stanley, 50x135. Owner, HOLLY 1093.

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FOR SALE—
NORTHWEST GLENDALE
FOOTHILL ACREAGE.

VILLA homesite, 5 acres	$10,000
Subdivision 5 acres,	$10,000
Subdivision 10 acres,	$16,500
Subdivision 20 acres,	$45,000
Subdivision 80 acres,	$65,000

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REAL HONEST VALUES

3 rms., corner, 50x172,	$2800
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5 rms., S. Adams,	$4850
6 rms., N. Maryland,	$5500
6 rms., N. Jackson,	$6500
6 rms., N. Brand,	$12,500
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Small furnished house,	$2800

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About 2 acres, with complete chicken equipment for 2000 birds. Comfortable 5-room house. Bargain at $10,000. Priced $8500.

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FOR SALE—Corner, 95x150, Central and Vine. 2 blocks from Broadway. 1 block from Brand, unrestricted, business, apts. or flats. Has 5-room stucco bungalow, garage, chicken runs on rear. Bargain, 1 week only. Owner, 310 VINE ST.

FOR SALE—Fine 7-room modern bungalow, exterior handle. A big bargain for cash or might arrange some terms. Must be sold this week. Address owner, 1040 WEST NORTH ST., Los Angeles. 20815.

TO LET—Well located unfurnished 5-room house. $100 per month. Phone GLENDALE 2522.

WANTED—To rent furnished room in Glendale, best breakfast. Address R. box 1, Herald OFFICE.

FOR SALE—For $7,750, Glendale property on L. H. WILSON, 1084 S. San Fernando Blvd., corner Park ave., Glendale 1881.

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For Sale, Exchange, Wanted, To Let.

For Sale, Exchange, Wanted, To Let.

FOR SALE—Near high school. A modern 6-room bungalow; oak floors throughout. Nice built-in features. Lot 50x200. Choice location. Owner, 1076 Lucretia ave. A small five-room cottage on the rear of lot. $1,000 for all. Half cash. Will divide. PHONE 590649.

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BEAUTIFUL WILSHIRE PARK.
$650 and up.

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Open evenings and Sundays.

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$10 MONTH
BUYS IDEAL ALHAMBRA
HOME PLACE.
HOME PLACE.

Take Pacific Electric car, Covina line, to Campbell ave., and walk north to Valley Blvd., and west to tract office. Drive out Valley Blvd. to tract office.

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Make me an offer for a big lot in the county.
120 feet frontage on Alvarado st., 116 deep, with side and back yard. 2nd north of First st.
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Lot 42x130 to alley, asphalt paved street; mammoth palms, close to store, school; excellent car service. Good restrictions. Best buy in southwest at $1250, terms. 1826 W. SIXTH ST. Vermont 2056. evenings Hollywood 5005.

FOR SALE—
Investors and builders, fine corner lots for bungalow court or flats, all improvements; 10 minutes Sixth and Broadway. Wonderful view, overlooking Echo Park, N.W. Big bargain. ALVARADO REALTY CO., Sunset and Alvarado. Price $5000.

FOR SALE—UNRESTRICTED BARGAIN.
$1100—65 ft. front, high ground, $900 cash.
$1800—West Bd., near Washington, 80x120. $2750—16th nr. Vineyard, 50x147, view lot.
4705 W. WASHINGTON. Ph. owner, 578701.

FOR SALE—WINDSOR HTS.
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FOR SALE—$400 homesites in Hollywood Highlands. Terms. Gas, light, water, phones; restrictions. CALL 12648.

FOR SALE—Best 3-lot corner on W. Adams for apartment or high-class flat, at buyer price. 1142 WEST ADAMS. West 6944.

FOR SALE—Hudson Blvd., close to high school. Corner with wonderful income possibilities. Owner, 52783, Apt. 16.

FOR SALE—BUNGALOW LOT, 50x155 Fuller ave., near Sunset. Cash talks. HOLLY 822.

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100x125, in Hollywood, $6500.
150x200, Santa Monica car, near Western. $4250 Santa Monica Blvd., Holly 822.

FOR SALE—Fine S.W. cor. on Western ave., also many others in this section. $25x0 up. R. H. SPALDING, 5115 S. Western.

FOR SALE—Beautiful lot, 4 blocks Vermont, $6000, suitable bungalow court. Inquire 333 GRAND VIEW PL.

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FOR SALE—Fine lot in Wilshire, 50x140. On Granville. Place at 4th st. $4200.
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One of the most delightful sections of Los Angeles, where you may have every city convenience on highly improved streets, close in, surrounded by beautiful homes, in the popular section, and close to schools, only about 20 minutes on 5c car line to the very heart of the city. The streets are lined with great palms and Acacia trees.

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SMALL PAYMENT DOWN,
$11 MONTHLY.

You will have to hurry if you are looking for a bargain in the right location.

EMIL FIRTH
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Autos leave this office at 10:30 a.m. every day, except Sunday. Autos leave my Long Beach office, 129 E. Ocean ave., Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday at 10:30 a.m.

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LOTS—$750.

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90TH AND BUDLONG AVE.

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KELLS & GRANT,
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WILSHIRE BLVD. AT WESTERN AVE.

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HIGHLAND PARK HEIGHTS LOT.

Buy this sightly lot, located near Franklin High School, and build your home; only $25 cash, $5 monthly. Price $375 per month. See me today.
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Corner north of Cal. Bank. 122x162, only 100 ft.; bona fide party will lease theater built on this property, good proposition. 1112 N. VERMONT. 598843.

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Your chance to make quick profit.
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$800, $900, $1000 EACH.
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HERE'S YOUR OPPORTUNITY.
TEMPORARY HOMES ALLOWED.

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Big Lots, $800 Up.
$25 Cash. $10 a month.

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OCCIDENTAL COLLEGE DISTRICT.

5-cent Car Fare.

Fine lots and quarter acres. Small payment down, balance like rent. Small amount for sale under some plan. We are also planning a new subdivision. Come out and see what it is.

Take Eagle Rock City car on Broadway to Avenue 43, or Fort Blvd. car on Spring to 5000 Fort Blvd.

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VERMONT AVE. BARGAINS!
CORNER BEVERLY BLVD. AND VERMONT, 104x140, $250 FRONT FT. $200 OTHER VALUE. TERMS OR CASH. OPTION AND CAN POSITIVELY DELIVER.

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FLAT OR APARTMENT LOT BARGAIN.

This fine large corner lot, 74x178 in size, in one of the best rental sections on high ground. Price only $6000, which owner says will be increased if not sold by January 1. Have you personally, if you want a choice lot for flats or apartments.

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Owner and Subdivider.

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MAKE $500 IN NEXT TWO WEEKS.
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One-half block from WESTERN AVE. and SANTA MONICA BLVD.
Only $600 cash, balance to suit purchaser.
$2500 each.
Suitable for factories, garages, etc.
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ATHENS-ON-THE-HILL.
Only $800.
Only $20 cash.
Right at Tract.
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2 blocks of Broadway, near Lincoln high school, sewer, gas, water, 60x135. Also 2 choice lots in Highland Park; choice. PHONE 69063 or 61900, or call at 5823 Pasadena ave. after Sunday.

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At Rosewood ave., just north of Beverly Blvd., 90x150. Can be had at less than $200 front foot. Only 3 left. This choice N.W. corner with 145 ft. on Western, 60 feet depth is positively the best buy on the avenue. GEO. A. HILL-LANE, 512 N. Western. 580742.

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$2400.
BUNGALOW LOT.
50x127.

This cheapest, choice bungalow lot in the Wilshire district. Now owned all around. Call MR. SCOTT, 56585 or Wil. 165.

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FOR SALE—

TO CLOSE ESTATE.

Large lot, 100x180, 5-room house on 24th st., near Main; a bargain. REYAN, 218 First Bldg. Phone 11370, 2nd and 8th?.

FOR SALE—Must be sold at once, corner and inside lots, excellent location, near new Los Angeles High School; in fourth square. Phone owner HOLLY 1093.

FOR SALE—$2750. Large lot in LaFayette Square, on Victoria Drive. $1250 cash, new mortgage of $1500 to foreed sale. 1214 PACIFIC MUTUAL BLDG.

FOR SALE—FIGUEROA CORNER, 85x118. DANDY FOR OIL STATION. SNAP AT $6000. $500 S. FIGUEROA. 2880½.

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FOR SALE—Lot 100x180; Edwardes Garden, east front, snap. See MR. GRAHAM, 4216 Stephenson ave. Boyle 8541.

FOR SALE—Adjoining lots, $2150 each 2 street frontages. Call GAR. 90.

FOR SALE—$4000, 180 ft. business corner lot, Temple. HUGHY, 1060 Temple st.

FOR SALE—Choice lot, overlooking Wilshire, 50x150, $3600 cash. TERMS. Owner, 712 Lowe's Main Bldg. 12626.

FOR SALE—Beautiful site, 100x270, unobstructed view of mountains; 28 minutes from Broadway. Phone OWNER, 585874 evenings.

FOR SALE—60x180 on business st., N.W. Good for stores, flats or court. Price $2500. MR. GREENE, 3194½ S. Hill.

FOR SALE—Santa Monica frontage 40x135. Close to Vermont. This will show 100 a profit quick. 1213 N. VERMONT.

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APARTMENT, FLAT Property.
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Splendid duplex 12-room residence, Cambridge, near Harvard, high-class residential district, 2 bathrooms and trunk room above each flat, live in one unit other side.
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BUSINESS Property for Sale.

FOR SALE—
116-FOOT BUSINESS CORNER.

Just think of it. 116 feet of West 16th street business frontage and a corner, at that, for only $6000; splendid location for anyone which would rent readily to yield from 25 to 30 per cent on investment. West 16th st. property is selling rapidly in anticipation of the opening of the street, which will surely increase values there. Get in early.

See me today.
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FOR SALE—
BARGAIN.
WEST 7TH ST.

A 60-foot lot between Figueroa and Alvarado for only $700 per foot. Vacant, can build at once.

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FOR SALE—

TO CLOSE AN ESTATE

we are offering 74x120, only partly improved on South Main st. Fine corner with income of $405 per month. Let us show you.

CONWAY & GLEASNER,
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FOR SALE—IMPROVED PROPERTY ON SOUTH VERMONT AVE. A SUBSTANTIALLY CONSTRUCTED BRICK BUILDING. PRICE $14,000.
R. H. EDWARDS, 1004 HIBERNIAN BLDG.

FOR SALE—$11,500.
W. PICO ST. BUSINESS CORNER.
LOT 51x125. THIS IS POSITIVELY BEST PICO FRONTAGE FOR THE PRICE BETWEEN VERMONT AVE. AND WESTERN.
WONDERFUL BARGAIN.
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74298. CORNER FEDORA. WEST 1049.

FOR SALE—
AT A SACRIFICE.
105TH AND VERMONT.

Ideal corner for business; business corner, 192½ ft. on 105th; 91 ft. on Vermont; agent on property between 8:30 and 9:30 a.m. or Phone 508177.

FOR SALE—
INGRAHAM STREET, NEAR LUCAS.
$12,750. 100x185, with large, modern, 9-room house; bargain; by far cheapest property in this whole district. F. PHELAN & CO., 1214 Pacific Mutual Bldg.

FOR SALE—LOT ON EAST 6TH STREET, NEAR ST. ANDREW'S PLACE. WILL GIVE VERY LOW PRICE FOR QUICK SALE AND CASH. R. H. EDWARDS, 1004 HIBERNIAN BLDG.

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DORRIS-HANNAH-MALLORY,
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60x197, 2-story Bldg.
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INCOME $1560 PER YEAR.
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A BUNGALOW COURT SNAP.
A beautiful 10-unit bungalow court; 4 rooms each. A wonderful lot and absolutely best location in Hollywood. Income $550 per month. Can be handled with $11,000 cash, balance easy. Priced to sell; better see it today.
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1029 NO. WESTERN AVE.

FOR SALE—NICE HIGHTAY CORNER.
Well built 4-room cottage, 3 units, beautifully furnished, modern in every detail. Income $2625 per month. Price $6,250. $2,000 cash, balance to suit. First 50-ft. lot which will be a boulevard soon. A pick-up. Easy terms.
H. DOWELL, 839 S. Vermont.

FOR SALE—HAVE YOU $1000 CASH?
Here is a bungalow, 5 rooms in front, 2 rooms and bath down. Two sleeping porches in rear; 2 garages. Price $5000; cash $1000, balance $25 per month. 1216 N. WESTMORELAND AVE., or phone west San Diego.

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to realize quick cash, bungalow court, 3 double houses and 2 garages on large lot, 50x144; cost $15,000; $7,500 cash; rents now $2400 a year. See it today. 1216 N. WESTMORELAND AVE., or phone west San Diego.

FOR SALE—Price $5000, $2000 cash, balance $50 monthly. Brand new double bungalow, 4 rooms and bath; located in southwest part of city, on corner of St. Andrews. No agent. Vermont 2878. 4709 GILLESPIE.

FOR SALE—family flat bldg., white stucco, near southern branch U. of C. Income $3600 year. Helicrone car. Pays 10% on $30,000 as rented. Safe investment for widows. Bargain price $20,000. BILL, BROKERAGE CO. 540 N. Western.

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FOR SALE—
Charming new stucco duplex, lower leased, upper ready for buyer. Choice Wilshire location. Bargain, $18,500. Might take good lot as part payment. 1216 S. SAN PEDRO AVE. Open for inspection.

FOR SALE—Flat and cottage, 100-ft. frontage, $900 income monthly. Would consider small piece of cottage in exchange. Or will sell separate. Very reasonable terms. Owner, 1522½ S. NEW HAMPSHIRE AVE.

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FOR SALE—I offer one of the handsomest home double bungalows furnished in the city for $9500. Must be seen; beautiful W. Adams, deal direct with owner, $3000 cash, $50 month. Assume mtge.

FOR SALE—Good income property, 2-room bungalow, style home, excellent location, near 3 car lines, $4000 cash, balance to suit. Owner, 1021 SUBURBAN AVE. Garv. 2043.

FOR SALE—1520 West st., 2-story brick rooming house, always full, oriented tenants. Large lot. Good cottage in rear. Snap at $7500 cash. Owner, 1520 WEST 8TH ST. Owner, WEST 1206.

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FOR SALE—4-flat building and double, in rear; 112x ft. lot. San Pedro and Central ave., $10,750. BLANKET, 500 Grant Bld

REAL ESTATE—For Exchange.

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...modern house, large barn, pumping plant, cement reservoir, 2 cement pipe lines; plenty of water, sold 200 tons of alfalfa last year; Folks, you will have to hurry. A. G. MOORE, 642 S. Grand. 62918.

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WHAT'S DOING TODAY.

Vocational teachers' banquet, Clark, 6 p.m.
University of Michigan Alumni Association, Gamut Club reception for President Burton, Ambassador, 7 p.m.
Christmas carols will be sung by industrial chorus of Chamber of Commerce in Pershing Square tonight from 7 to 8 p.m., weather permitting.
Optimist Club, dessert, Trinity Auditorium, 6:30 p.m.
Women's Auxiliary Los Angeles Principals' Club, Tajiguas Ranch, dinner, 6:30 p.m.
Rehearsal of Christmas carols for Council of Community Service Yuletide festival, 7:30 p.m., Normal Hill Center.
Rose Triangle Club, lantern twilight at 6:30 p.m., parade around to children from Neighborhood Club, dinner, 6 p.m.
Yuletide performance under auspices Dramatic Players' Workshop Association, 8 p.m., Los Angeles Public Library, Fifth and Main streets; presenting of Williamson Association, by Laurel L. Blake, "A Christmas Legend," by Mary E. Wilkins Freeman.
Englishmen of every profession, English, French and Belgian societies, Christmas Museum, Armory of 40 and Exposition Way.
Los Angeles Photographic Salon, Museum of History, Science and Art, Exposition Park.
Junior Low Rock Dramatic Association, auditorium, Central Junior High School, 421 North Hill street.
Los Angeles City Teachers' Institute, Philharmonic and Trinity auditoriums.

AMUSEMENTS.

Belasco—"Dizzy, G."
Lyric—"The Foolish Age" and vaudeville.
Alhambra—"You Are Here Night."
Clune's Broadway—"Mamselle."
Orpheum—Vaudeville.
Majestic—"A Prince There Was."
Pantages—"Scandals."
Hollywood—"If I Am Queen."
Pantages Vaudeville—Vaudeville.
Hippodrome—"Go Get 'Em" and vaudeville.
Symphony—"The Chauffeur," "I Do."
Broadway—"The Fox."
Morosco—"Your Relation."
Miller's—"What Do Men Want?"
Grauman's Rialto—"Sentimental Quick Walking."
Kinema—"The Wonderful Thing."
Grauman's Million Dollar—"The Little Minister."
Tully's Broadway—"Palm Beach."

THE CITY AND ENVIRONS.

For Rehearsals.

Rehearsals of the Christmas carols for the Council of Community Service's Yuletide observances will be held at 7:30 p.m. today at the Normal Hill Center. All are invited to attend.

Indiana Entertainment.

The meeting of the Indiana Society announced for last night will be held this evening in the Fraternal Brotherhood Building, 245 South Figueroa street. A program presented by the Egan Dramatic School will be followed by by dancing.

Give Carols Tonight.

Christmas carols will be sung by the industrial chorus of the Chamber of Commerce in Pershing Square tonight from 7 to 8 p.m., weather permitting.

More than 250 trained singers from Bullock's, Hamburger's, the Southern California Edison Company, the Crown Laundry and other industrial plants of the city will give the special musical program.

To Commercial Board.

Edward Elliott, vice-president of the Security Trust and Savings Bank, will speak on the "Business Outlook for 1922," at a meeting of the Commercial Board at noon tomorrow at the Alexandria. Reynold E. Blight will speak on the "Psychological Aspect of Business Prosperity," and J. Aldrich Libbey will sing through the courtesy of the Hippodrome Theater.

Benefit for Unemployed.

A vaudeville performance will be given at 8 p.m. today, under the auspices of the Unemployed Welfare Association at the Los Angeles Men's Club, 321 South Main street, to raise funds to open up additional sleeping quarters for the men who are out of work and broke. A number of film stars will appear on the program. Admission 25 cents. The Playground Commission has donated the use of the auditorium.

Gamut Club Jinks.

The merriest Christmas jinks the club has ever held is promised members of the Gamut organization tomorrow night by President L. E. Behymer. There will be a vaudeville program, dancing, a midnight supper and a huge Christmas tree, with distribution of gifts to members, their families and guests. Manager C. B. McCollum announces that the club will be presented with a $2000 baby grand piano.

TWO LOST OVERBOARD FROM JAP STEAMER.

TEXAS MARU IS REPORTED LEAKING BADLY AS RESULT OF STORM.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

PORTLAND (Or.) Dec. 19.—A message stating the steamer Texas Maru had lost two men overboard and was leaking badly as the result of a violent storm 900 miles off the Columbia River, was received here today by H. S. Toda, manager of the shipping department in the local office of Suzuki & Co., owners of the vessel. The men lost, according to the wireless message, were the chief executive officer and an apprentice.

The Texas Maru is a steamer of 8977 net tons. She left here for Kobe December 15. he carried 48 men and had a mixed cargo valued at $337,922.

VICTORIA (B. C.) Dec. 19.—Canadian Pacific Railway transfer barge No. 5, ashore at Parlier Pass, B. C., tonight we reported battered on the rocks by a northeasterly gale and in danger of going to pieces. Seventeen freight cars, loaded with general merchandise, had overturned.

TO FINE SHIP LINES BREAKING ALIEN LAW

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—Steamship lines which have brought immigrants in excess of national quotas under the 3 per cent limitation law to the United States face imposition of fines aggregating $1,050,000, it Atty.-Gen. Daugherty sustains the contention of the Department of Labor of their liability under existing statutes, Secretary Davis said today.

BUSINESS BREVITIES.

[Advertising]

The Times Branch Office, 619 South Spring street. Advertisements and subscriptions taken. Telephones Pico 700, 10391.

Salvation Army, Main 2069, needs immediately all old clothing and shoes obtainable, especially men's. Wagon will call.

Diamond loans. Kusel, Stimson Bg.

HOOVER AFTER GERMAN TRADE.

To Knit South America Into Closer Relations.

Reorganizes Inter-American High Commission.

Body Makes Road Easier for the Traveling Man.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—Secretary of Commerce Hoover, who has just superseded Secretary Mellon as the active head of the United States section of the Inter-American High Commission, proposes to knit South American countries into the future plans of the commercial and financial relations and to a great degree, neutralize the reviving activity of Germany among the Pan-American members.

GET GOOD MEN.

Not only is the Secretary of Commerce determined to develop all rational ties between the United States and South America possible, but he is enlisting some of the strongest men in national life in the work. Senator Jones of Washington, author of the Jones bill, controlling the new merchant marine, has been appointed vice-chairman, and Adolph C. Miller of California, a member of the Federal Reserve Board, has been drafted for this important work.

The Secretary conceives that there is a great potential friendship of mutual advantage to be established and developed among the American republics and by means of the Inter-American High Commission believes that much can be done to secure a stabilized friendship and firmer government relationships in the intercourse between these countries.

In a formal statement issued today by Secretary Hoover an insight is given to the scope of present accomplishments and some of the future plans of the commission as follows:

CONVENTION RATIFIED.

"The commission has secured the ratification of the Panama trade-mark convention for the protection of trade-marks against infringement. The commission also played a conspicuous part in the negotiation of treaties for facilitating the work of commercial travelers. The treaties provide for the issuance of a single license authorizing the traveler to transact business in the whole country, instead of being compelled to take out a license in each province or municipality, as is frequently the case now. They also provide for liberal treatment on samples and in regard to customs formalities. They will remove some of the most complicated features attending the sending of commercial travelers to Latin-American countries.

"The commission has under consideration in its various national sections a uniform commercial law among American republics, laws governing industrial and literary property, simplification of fiscal administrative relations in the matter of customs, etc."

WOMEN'S CLUBS GET OPTION ON PROPERTY

MAY PURCHASE DESIRABLE HOME IN WASHINGTON FOR HEADQUARTERS.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—Following conferences here between President Winters of the Federation of Women's Clubs and Mrs. Clara Burdette, one of the members of the executive council, and other prominent women in the club movement, the federation has closed an option on one of the most desirable places in Washington for a national headquarters. The property has for many years been the home of one of the important foreign embassies and is admirably fitted for the use of the federation purposes.

While the women interested in the federation have already indorsed the purchase, no further action will be taken until the meeting of the executive committee in Chicago early in January. Following this meeting formal announcement will be made. If, as now seems probable, the club women decided to exercise their option and make the purchase there will be a concentration of activities at Washington never undertaken before by the club women of the United States.

WILL NOT REVOKE DRY AMENDMENT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—Constitutional prohibition will not be revoked notwithstanding efforts of Robert A. Widenman of New York to have the Supreme Court compel the Secretary of State to withdraw the proclamation announcing its ratification. The court today affirmed the decision of the courts of the District of Columbia, which held Widenman held no interest which would be benefitted if his request was granted.

WATSON STORMS AT GOV. HARDING.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—Gov. Harding of the Federal Reserve Board was attacked in the Senate today by Senator Watson, Democrat, Georgia, for a speech Senator Watson said the official made in New Orleans. Mr. Watson declared the speech had caused a drop in cotton prices immediately from 20 to 18 cents and had a disastrous effect generally on the farmer.

SEEK BILL CREATING MORE JUDGESHIPS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—The Senate Judiciary Committee after discussion with Chief Justice Taft and Atty.-Gen. Daugherty increasing Federal judgeships, today referred both Senate and House bills dealing with the subject to a subcommittee to draft a measure which would be acceptable to both branches of Congress.

CROPS HURT BY ERUPTION OF VOLCANO

Violent Earthquakes Are Felt; Steam Pouring from Crevices.

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

SANTIAGO (Chile) Dec. 19.—Advices from Puerto Montes say there is a virtual rain of ashes from the volcano Caulle, falling over a wide area adjacent to it, seriously damaging crops. The immediate vicinity of the volcano is sparsely populated.

The eruption began December 13, accompanied by violent earthquakes. Travelers coming from the base of the volcano report that there are deep crevices in the mountainside from which steam is pouring.

BUENOS AIRES, Dec. 19.—Vast clouds of volcanic ashes from the erupting peaks in the Andes are sweeping across Argentina, obscuring the sun in many sections. Carried by a southwest wind from a point in the Andes range at about latitude 41, ashes are reported to have fallen at places nearly 10 degrees of latitude farther north, and from the Andes to the Atlantic Ocean.

The first ash clouds reached Laplata, thirty-five miles southeast of this city, at 8 p.m. yesterday. Weather Bureau observers also reported a slight film of dust over Buenos Aires.

PREMIERS CONFER ON REPARATIONS.

LLOYD GEORGE AND BRIAND TO DISCUSS EUROPEAN FINANCIAL OUTLOOK.

[BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

LONDON, Dec. 19.—Premier Briand of France went into conference with Prime Minister Lloyd George at the latter's official residence in Downing street this morning.

It was expected that German reparations would be the first question considered but the newspapers declare the conversations may develop a comprehensive discussion of the European financial and economic situation.

Dr. Walter Rathenau, former German Minister of Reconstruction, arrived in London this morning to continue his negotiations concerning Germany's reparations obligations.

The conference between Premier Briand and Mr. Lloyd George was adjourned at 1:30 o'clock, when a communique was issued saying the conversations were on general economic questions. Matters that were discussed, it said, will be referred to British treasury officials and French experts, who were directed to confer this afternoon and submit a report tomorrow.

PARIS, Dec. 19.—The sudden appearance in London of Dr. Walter Rathenau, German financial expert, does not surprise reparations commission circles here, and it is explained he will probably confer with Premiers Lloyd George and Briand, with respect to the financial situation in which Germany contends she finds herself.

ARREST ABSENTEES TO GATHER QUORUM.

BITTER FIGHT IN HOUSE OVER DYER ANTILYNCHING MEASURE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—After a bitter fight the House tonight voted to take up the Dyer antilynching bill under a rule limiting general debate to ten hours. Leaders, however, have agreed that the measure will not be pressed to a final vote before the Christmas recess.

The vote was 170 to 42 with five members voting "present" and was reached after more than two hours delay through quorum calls demanded by Representative Garrett, Tennessee, the Democratic leader, who directed opposition to the bill. Twice the sergeant-at-arms was sent out with warrants to arrest absentees before quorums were obtained. Two hours were devoted to the debate, which ended in the bill being given right of way. General debate, according to plans of leaders, will be stretched over the days remaining before the recess, which will probably begin Thursday.

The bill would provide heavy fines and imprisonment for persons participating in lynchings and for officials who failed through negligence to prevent mob violence. It would also require counties in which lynchings occurred to forfeit $10,000 to the family of the person killed.

Mr. Garrett asserted in debate the measure should be entitled "bill to encourage rape" and Mr. Pou of North Carolina, said its purpose was "to pay political debt."

TWO FATALLY HURT IN WRECK OF TRAIN.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

ANNISTON (Ala.) Dec. 19.—The fireman and a mail clerk were fatally injured today in the wreck at Tarsus, eight miles from here, of a Southern Railway train from Jacksonville for Birmingham and Kansas City. The accident was caused by spreading rails.

Six other persons were injured. The engine, tank and two coaches overturned.

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		Copies
November 1		104,460
November 2		102,190
November 3		102,570
November 4		103,170
November 5		111,287
November 6 (Sunday)		167,076
November 7		111,616
November 8		103,350
November 9		103,230
November 10		103,220
November 11		103,577
November 12		103,810
November 13 (Sunday)		167,250
November 14		111,181
November 15		104,560
November 16		104,870
November 17		103,170
November 18		103,560
November 19 (Sunday)		166,670
November 20		111,051
November 21		103,530
November 22		103,530
November 23		103,900
November 24		108,780
November 25		110,174
November 26		105,200
November 27		103,900
November 28 (Sunday)		166,670
November 29		110,470
November 30		105,200
November 30		108,660
Average for every day of November, 1921		117,227
Sunday only average for November, 1921		166,466
Average every-day sale over November, 1920		93,811
Sunday only sale over November, 1920		81,561

HARRY CHANDLER, General Manager, The Times.

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THE WEATHER

[Official Report.]

LOCAL OFFICE—U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Dec. 19.—[Reported by H. R. Horner, Meteorologist.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 29.78; at 5 p.m., 29.94. The barometer for the corresponding hours showed 58 deg. and 59 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 100 per cent; 5 p.m., 100 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., south, velocity 12 miles; 5 p.m., south, velocity 16 miles. Temperature, highest, 60 deg.; lowest, 50 deg. Rainfall for season, 2.34 inches; last season to date, 2.34 inches. Barometer reduced to sea level.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.—Fair weather prevailed yesterday from the Rocky Mountains to the Atlantic coast, but a storm of considerable intensity covered the Pacific Slope. The rainfall was heaviest in Southern California from the north to the mountains. Storm warnings were ordered up for expected high southwest winds. Rain is expected to continue in this vicinity today.

SUN, MOON AND TIDES.—Los Angeles, December 20: Sun rises 6:54 a.m.; sets 4:47 p.m. Moon rises 10:19 p.m.; sets 10:20 a.m. Low Algoas Bay, December 20, high tides, 1:45 a.m. and 1:56 p.m.; low tides, 7:20 a.m. and 8:06 p.m.

ORCHARD REPORTS.—Minimum and maximum temperatures from the orchards, reported yesterday to the Los Angeles office of the U. S. Weather Bureau, were as follows:

Stations	Max.	Min.
Bonita	60	36
Calabasas	64	36
Corona	66	36
El Cajon	60	36
Escondido	60	34
Los Angeles Harbor	62	46
Mt. Wilson	44	30
Newport Harbor	64	36
Pasadena	62	36
Pomona	66	36
Redlands	66	34
Riverside	66	34
Santa Barbara	62	36
San Bernardino	66	34
Santa Ana	66	36
San Fernando	64	36

LOCAL FORECAST.

For Los Angeles and vicinity: Rain Tuesday; strong southerly winds.

STATE FORECAST.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 19.—Weather forecast for San Francisco, Oakland and vicinity, Northern California: Rain Tuesday; moderate southerly gales.

Sacramento, Santa Clara and San Joaquin valleys: Rain Tuesday; fresh southerly winds.

ARIZONA FORECAST.

PHOENIX (Ariz.) Dec. 19.—Forecast for Arizona: Unsettled Tuesday and Wednesday; probably rain in west and south central, and rain or snow in northeast portion; not much change in temperature.

COLORADO RIVER.

YUMA (Ariz.) Dec. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch from the U. S. Reclamation Service.] Gauge height Colorado River, 12.2 feet. Discharge, 24,000 cubic feet. Sunday, 24,000 cubic feet; Monday, 24,000 cubic feet.

TEMPERATURES.

	Max.	Min.		Max.	Min.
Abilene	52	30	Oklahoma	52	32
Amarillo	52	30	Phoenix	72	38
Boston	40	30	Pittsburg	46	34
Buffalo	40	30	Portland, Or.	52	38
Chicago	42	32	Rapid City	46	30
Denver	52	30	Roseburg	52	32
Detroit	42	32	Roswell	64	30
Dodge City	52	30	St. Louis	46	32
Eastern	46	30	St. Paul	42	30
Galveston	66	50	Salt Lake	52	36
Havre	46	30	San Diego	64	46
Helena	46	30	San Francisco	58	46
Kansas City	46	34	S. Luis Obispo	64	36
Kamloops	34	30	Seattle	46	36
Marfa	64	30	Spokane	46	30
Memphis	52	34	Tacoma	46	36
Modena	52	30	Washington	46	30
New Orleans	62	50	Williston	46	30
New York	52	36	Winnipeg	34	30
North Platte	52	30	Yuma	74	44

VITAL RECORD.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday. Name and age given.

ASPLI — BAPTIAN. John F. Asplí, 29; Ville Baptian, 27.

ARNOLD—STARR. Clarence Arnold, 29; Ora L. Starr, 27.

BADALAMENTE—BADALAMENTE. Anthony Badalamente, 26; Josephine Badalamente, 17.

BAILEY — COLWELL. Le Roy H. Bailey, 23; Ruth L. Colwell, 21.

BARRETT—LOVELL. Lawrence C. Barrett, 21; Adele S. Lovell, 20.

BRANHAM—MORIARTY. Joseph R. Branham, 30; Agnes K. Moriarty, 30.

BURR—WALLING. David L. Burr, 23; Thelma Walling, 20.

CHAPPELL — MACGOLLUM. Irving Chappell, 20; Ida Macgollum, 21.

CLARK—GREENING. Sheldon C. Clark, 75; Anna B. Greening, 68.

CLEAVELAND—HERBOLD. Frank L. Cleaveland, 32; Nettie B. Herbold, 31.

COLWELL—LITTELL. Elmer Colwell, 20; Mary L. Littell, 20.

DANIELSON — MISCHER. Jens Danielson, 27; Emma A. Mischer, 26.

DAVIS—BLACKBURN. Elmer H. Davis, 26; Jennie G. Blackburn, 26.

DE LAND—MULMALL—BAKER. Patrick De Land, 21; Mulmall, 21; Mattie Baker, 21.

DIVOLA—MAGILA. Domenico Divola, 40; Carmela Magila, 27.

ELLIOTT—WHITE. Gale S. Elliott, 24; Myrtle F. White, 22.

FISHER — FISHER. Sidney Fisher, 32; Stella Fisher, 28.

FITZGERALD—COAKLEY. Burton M. Fitzgerald, 25; Dale O. Coakley, 24.

FLEWELLING—ALLEN. Ralph C. Flewelling, 27; Mae Belle Allen, 26.

GREEN—ROBERTS. Alfred Green, 31; Annie E. Roberts, 34.

HALL — WITTENBORN. Fred Hall, 39; Lillian Wittenborn, 32.

HARUTON—KARKASH. Antonio M. Haritos, 33; Stamatina K. Karkash, 20.

HILTZ—MACKIE. Karl S. Hiltz, 23; Mary M. Mackie, 23.

HUBER—UMINGER. Albert A. Huber, 29; Rose N. A. Uminger, 28.

JOHNSON—STURMING. Lloyd L. Johnson, 22; Meriam A. Sturming, 19.

KEELER — RICH. Herbert F. Keeler, Jr., 20; Roberta M. Rich, 20.

KEPPLE—MORGAN. Gerald C. Kepple, 21; Mildred M. Morgan, 21.

KIRKPATRICK—MINTONYE. Charles H. Kirkpatrick, 20; Ida Mintonye, 20.

LANUS — LA VON. Pat Lanus, 23; Vivian La Von, 20.

MANN—MARINOFF. Philip Mann, 23; Eva Marinoff, 21.

MARTIN—MOCHIN. Albert Martin, 29; Raleigh Mochin, 24.

MIKUHIMA — INOUYE. Naoke Mikuhima, 24; Kazue Inouye, 22.

PENCE—HOLLEY. Theodore Penn, 24; Rena Holley, 20.

POTATER—PETERS. Ernest P. Potater, 20; Evan E. Peters, 19.

REID—MANN. Robert W. Reid, 26; Mary Mann, 24.

RICHARDSON — ARENA. Fred Richardson, 29; Virginia Arena, 20.

RICKERT — TALBOT. Harry T. Rickert, 21; Cora M. Talbot, 20.

RICKMAN — TRESHER. Lewis Rickman, 22; Marjorie M. Thresher, 22.

SHERMAN — BLAKESLEY. James M. Sherman, 51; Mabel E. Blakesley, 47.

SLACK — BROOKER. Cyril Slack, 22; Gladys G. Brooker, 21.

SMITH—DAGUE. James M. Smith, 22; Henrietta J. Dague, 21.

STAPP — HOUSE. William C. Stapp, 53; Mary E. House, 55.

WALKER — SILBERNAGEL. Morton R. Walker, 31; Ida Silbernagel, 30.

WARD—MILLSAP. Clarence P. Ward, 21; Katie O. Millsap, 19.

WHITE — BRACAMONTES. Charles B. White, 24; Martha F. Bracamontes, 24.

WILLIAMS — GREEN. Eugene L. Williams, 24; Jeanette Green, 22.

WITT — JOHNS. Mac M. Witt, 25; Anna Johns, 22.

WOOD — FROWN. John E. Wood, 43; Edith B. Frohn, 40.

BIRTHS.

Names, sex, place and date of birth.

ADELMAN. Mr. and Mrs. MacRitan. Daughter. County Hospital, December 14.

ARNOLD. Mr. and Mrs. Jesse. Boy. Weinhaar Maternity Home, December 14.

ARSTRONG. Mr. and Mrs. Donald. Daughter. Good Samaritan Hospital, December 17.

BAALAS. Mr. and Mrs. Frank. Daughter. 11119 Acacia street, December 12.

BENEDICT. Mr. and Mrs. Charles. Boy. Good Samaritan Hospital, December 15.

BLACKFORD. Mr. and Mrs. James. Boy. Lincoln Park Hospital, December 16.

BURMAN. Mr. and Mrs. David. Boy. County Hospital, December 15.

CUMMING. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph. Daughter. St. Vincent's Hospital, December 16.

DARNELL. Mr. and Mrs. Hubert. Daughter. 243 Rose Avenue, December 16.

DE LAND. Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth. Boy. County Hospital, December 11.

DUNBAR. Mr. and Mrs. Steven. Boy. County Hospital, December 15.

EDMUNDS. Mr. and Mrs. Leslie. Daughter. 1415 Hughes Lane, December 13.

EINER. Mr. and Mrs. Alfred. Boy. Good Samaritan Hospital, December 18.

FAGAN. Mr. and Mrs. Malcomb. Daughter. California Lutheran Hospital, December 14.

HERLIHAN. Mr. and Mrs. Albert. Daughter. County Hospital, December 12.

HOOPINGER. Mr. and Mrs. Norman. Daughter. 1844 East Fifty-fourth street, December 11.

ILLINGWORTH. Mr. and Mrs. Russel. Boy. Methodist Hospital, December 14.

JENKINS. Mr. and Mrs. Warner. Boy. 139 West Forty-first street, December 18.

JOHNSON. Mr. and Mrs. Isaiah. Boy. County Hospital, December 14.

JOHNSON. Mr. and Mrs. Isaiah. Boy. 8369 Normandie avenue, December 15.

LARRABEE. Mr. and Mrs. Laurence. Boy. Good Samaritan Hospital, December 15.

LUM. Mr. and Mrs. Phillip. Boy. Methodist Hospital, December 15.

MANCINI. Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas. Daughter. Good Samaritan Hospital, December 14.

McCANN. Mr. and Mrs. Phillip. Boy. 129 East Thirty-ninth street, December 15.

McELRUDER. Mr. and Mrs. Roy. Boy. 1725 Naomi avenue, December 8.

McVEY. Mr. and Mrs. Leroy. Boy. 1465 Oak Grove avenue, December 16.

O'BRAUGHENEST. Mr. and Mrs. Eddie. Daughter. 1241 Cotton avenue, December 13.

OTIS. Mr. and Mrs. Jasper. Daughter. County Hospital, December 16.

PETERSON. Mr. and Mrs. Nathan. Daughter. 2701 South Normandie avenue, December 13.

RAPHAEL. Mr. and Mrs. Martine. Daughter. 1236 Bay street, December 11.

ROBERTS. Mr. and Mrs. Chester. Boy. 3042 Partridge avenue, December 14.

DIVORCE SUITS FILED.

BARLOW, Patricia against Hugh.
BRIDGER, Gertrude against Ball.
BROWN, Gladys against Robert.
BRONNER, Evelyn against Frederick.
BUCKLEY, Rose against Justin.
DIAL, Alice against Everett.
ELDRED, Hazel against William.
FLECKENSTEIN, William against Blanche.
FRANK, Leola against Cathon.
GIBO, Matea against Rudo.
LAMPLUGH, Kathleen against Robert.
MOORE, Henry against Beatrice.
NOYES, Lotha against Stanley.
TURNER, Carolyn against George.
WENZEL, Marie against Milton.

DIVORCE DECREES GRANTED.

ACKERMAN, Ruth L. from Herman G.
AIKEN, Rita May from Cecil Henry.
ANTHONY, Anna B. from Charles G.
BENDY, Myrtle Virginia from Leo P.
CASTINEAU, Luther B. from Bertha Jane.
GILBRINKIN, Minnie from Myra C.
HIGGY, Mary Ellen from Frank.
JULIEN, Russell C. from Ella E.
KENNELLY, Margaret E. from David J.
MARTIN, William from Celestia.
MARTINEZ, R. G. from Solange Hipolita.
MORGAN, Emil from Elizabeth R.
PARKER, Marguerite from Donald.
PERRY, Iris Elizabeth from Arthur Eugene.
RICE, Clifford W. from Lenna B.
ROSE, Adelaide B. from T. L.
SCHUFFELT, Hazel W. from Johannes J. G., Jr.
SHACKFORD, Alonzo C. from Ella B.
STEELE, R. B. from Ethel A.
WEBB, Hattie F. from Edwin.
WILLIAMS, R. G. from Katherine L.
WOOD, Cora A. from Clarence H.

NATURALIZATION PETITIONS.

Petitions for naturalization, with names, nationality, residence and date of coming to the United States given, were filed yesterday in the office of Clerk K. Williams, clerk of the U. S. District Court, as follows:

Paul Voight, Germany, 1605 Chadbourne avenue, Hawthorne; Park, Feb. 27, 1914.
David W. Hughes, Canada, 1001 North Moore street, Glendale, April 10, 1914.
Angelo Crampol, Italy, 1109 Mission Road, May 5, 1903.
Lebtach Meir Aaizik, 1124 East Twenty-third street, Feb. 26, 1914.
William Rankin, Scotland, Compton, Dec. 18, 1916.
Booth H. Hudson, Nova Scotia, 1240 St. Louis avenue, Long Beach, May 28, 1911.

OFFICIAL DEATH LIST.

Name and place of death—	Age.	Date.
BELL, Frank, Los Angeles	61	Dec. 19
BRUNO, Martin, Los Angeles	4	Dec. 17
CATTON, Mary, Los Angeles	83	Dec. 17
EARING, Isabel, Los Angeles	71	Dec. 17
FRICKERT, Richard, Los Angeles	7	Dec. 17
GARRISON, Elizabeth, Los Angeles	78	Dec. 16
GOLDACKER, Robert, Los Angeles	41	Dec. 17
HAGAN, Lucile, Los Angeles	23	Dec. 16
HOUGH, Charles, Los Angeles	82	Dec. 16
HUMPHRIES, Robert, Los Angeles	41	Dec. 17
KARP, Anton, Los Angeles	73	Dec. 17
KINCH, Ida, Los Angeles	68	Dec. 16
KIRCHNER, Peter, Los Angeles	74	Dec. 17
MADIGAN, Patrick, Los Angeles	70	Dec. 17
MAXEY, William, Los Angeles	9	Dec. 17
MEYER, Jacob, Los Angeles	74	Dec. 17
MORLEY, June, Los Angeles	1	Dec. 17
NOGIATE, George, Los Angeles	1	Dec. 17
RAEMORE, William, Los Angeles	73	Dec. 17
RHEAUME, Nora, Los Angeles	43	Dec. 17
RIDER, Laura, Los Angeles	67	Dec. 17
WALLACE, James, Los Angeles	73	Dec. 18

DEATHS.

With Funeral Announcements.

ASHFORD. Fred L. Ashford, aged 53 years. Funeral services today at 2 p.m. at chapel of Hamilton Funeral Home, 1249 South Flower street. (Tacoma, Wash., papers please copy.)

BAKER. Mrs. Emma C., beloved wife of J. S. Baker of 7044½ Vermont avenue, died Dec. 18. Funeral services will be held today at 2 p.m. from the funeral chapel of W. H. Spilsbury, 942 South Figueroa, under auspices of Masonic.

BLAKE. Accidentally, in Los Angeles, December 18, Ella E. Blake, beloved mother of Samuel R. Blake.
Funeral services at the parlors of Dale & Fitzsimmons, Redlands, Cal., Wednesday at 2 p.m.

CULVER. December 19, Mary C. P. Culver, Remains at parlors of W. A. Brown, Notice of funeral later.

DEARING, at

...ern California Interests. Editorials—News—Business—Society—The Drama.

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XLI. TUESDAY MORNING, DECEMBER 20, 1921. —PART II: 12 PAGES. POPULATION [illegible]

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WASHINGTON, Dec. ... Arms Conference will be ... elected in a new series of ... dollars, minting of which will be started immediately.

The design of the new ... was approved by President ... ing today on its submission ... Raymond T. Baker, director ... the mint, following approval ... the Fine Arts Commission. ... tor Baker said about [illegible] ... new dollars would be minted ... fore January 1.

The new dollars, which will ... signed by Anthony De Francisci ... New York, will have the ... head of liberty on the obverse, while the reverse will have the figure of an eagle perched on a broken sword, and carrying an olive branch bearing the word "Peace." Further designs for the dawn of a new era the backs will show rays of a rising sun, the usual "E Pluribus Unum" and "In God We Trust" will also be on the coin.

This is the first time since Mr. Baker said, a new design has been adopted for the coins.

DOCTOR'S MURDER GROWING REMORSE

(INCLUDED ELSEWHERE)

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—Dr. Han Raisen, slayer of Dr. Abraham Glickstein, has become a victim of remorse, lawyers in the Raymond street jail said today. He has told Warden [illegible] he is ready to give her life sentence for the one she took from Glickstein, physician's wife, if the governor is willing to commute sentence.

The woman she is suffering from a feeling of freedom from Glickstein's power for the first time. She has said her husband on the phone represented a power that held her [illegible]

TELL DIFFERENT STORIES OF KENNEDY'S SLAYING.

Policemen's Testimony Hits State Version as Burch Defense Launches Its Attack.

What happened in Beverly Glen on the night of August 5, when J. Belton Kennedy was shot to death on his cabin steps, was related to the jury in the Arthur C. Burch murder trial yesterday afternoon by two police officers—both of whom testified for the defense. Their version differed in several particulars from that adduced from State witnesses during the earlier stages of the trial.

Efforts of Burch's attorneys to bring before the jury the account of the shooting given by Madalynne Obenchain, also accused of the murder, were unavailing, however. Judge Reeve constantly sustained objections of Dist.Atty. Woolwine and Deputy Keyes to all questions on this point. Attorneys Schenck, Kittrelle and Sullivan made several fruitless attempts to introduce parts of the conversation Mrs. Obenchain held with witnesses in the case on the night of the murder.

Seven defense witnesses were called during the day, and Mrs. Elizabeth Besenty and Charles S. Summar, both prosecution witnesses, were recalled for the purpose of asking them foundation questions by which the defense is trying to impeach or discredit their testimony. This impeachment process was conspicuous throughout the day and figured largely in the testimony of the two police officers.

DISPUTE WOMAN.

Motorcycle Officers Frank Leibhart and City Marshal Charles C. Blair, both of Beverly Hills, told under oath of asserted conversations with Mrs. Besenty in which the latter is asserted to have made statements at variance with her sworn testimony. Mrs. Besenty was recalled by the defense and asked about these conversations and she flatly denied them.

With their attack apparently launched at every detail of the State's case the defense centered largely on the important question of time. Burch's movements on the night of the shooting have been definitely fixed at 7:35 and 11:03 o'clock when he was at Ninth and Spring streets.

Mrs. Besenty and her husband declared they saw Burch in Beverly Glen, fourteen miles away, while the undertaker was removing Mr. Kennedy's body. Defense witnesses yesterday declared it was 11 p.m. before the undertaker arrived there.

GOES TO GLEN.

City Marshal Blair was on the stand when court was adjourned from the Beverly Hills Police Station and arrived there about 9:45 p.m. Mrs. Obenchain was there. She was crying, was nervous, broken down and gave incoherent answers to questions, the witness said.

About 10 o'clock he detailed Officer Leibhart to go to the Kennedy cabin in Beverly Glen. The deputy sheriffs from Los Angeles arrived in Beverly Hills about 10:20 p.m. and the Coroner was not notified to call an undertaker until about 10:30 p.m., Mr. Blair stated.

The undertaker arrived at the Kennedy cabin about 11 p.m. Mr. Blair was aiding the undertaker and saw no car with a man answering Burch's description during that time. It was during this period that the Besenty's motor Burch drove by, "rubbered in," went up the canyon a short distance, turned around and hurried out.

STORIES CONFLICT.

Mr. Blair was asked regarding the statements said to have been made by Mrs. Besenty that evening and the next morning. He asserted she said she was in the house when the second shot was fired; that she denied she heard any automobile leaving the canyon after the shooting; that she said nothing of hearing a man's voice say, "I got him, I got him," after the shooting; that she said Mrs. Obenchain was wringing her hands during the time (Mrs. Besenty later stated under oath Mrs. Obenchain was making motions as if writing something;) that she said nothing about seeing Mrs. Obenchain throw away a piece of paper or hearing something that sounded like a piece of paper fall.

Mrs. Besenty's testimony conflicts with that of Mr. Blair on all the foregoing points.

Officer Leibhart told a story that checked in virtually all essentials with that of Mr. Blair. He said he went to the Beverly Hills police station at approximately 9:45 p.m. and saw Mrs. Obenchain there. She was crying, was nervous and appeared crushed.

EXAMINES BODY.

He went to the Kennedy cabin and found Mr. and Mrs. Besenty and two or three children there about 11:10 p.m. He examined the body, saw Mr. Kennedy's small revolver lying near the dead man's right hand, noticed where a little "nest" had been made in the brush at the north of the steps, saw the gate to the cabin yard partly open; saw tracks back of the cabin and saw a twig that has been shot off a tree.

The deputy sheriffs arrived there about 10:30 p.m. About 10:55 p.m. the witness left the cabin and proceeded south on the glen boulevard. The undertaker's car had not come at that time. In going along the road, the officer saw no automobile resembling the one Burch is declared to have rented that night. Neither did he see a man resembling Burch.

On the following morning he was at the Kennedy cabin when the so-called "mystery note" so widely heralded on several occasions by the Los Angeles Examiner was "found."

Mr. Blair said he had searched the vicinity but found no piece of paper or anything of importance before the reporters for The Examiner arrived.

"Did you see the paper picked up?" he was asked.

"No," he replied.

DESCRIBES NOTE.

But the reporter called his attention to it and Mr. Blair described it to the jury as to size and color, saying it was a piece of heavy white paper.

Mr. Keyes interrupted the questioning of the witness with an objection and Mr. Schenck responded, "Perhaps you are right; there is not the proper foundation laid. I'll ask the District Attorney to produce the note."

"The District Attorney has not got it or hasn't seen it, so far as I'm concerned," Mr. Keyes retorted.

The Examiner in recounting during the progress of the trial its "discovery" of the "mystery note," declared it had been turned over to the District Attorney.

"Well, I never saw it either," Mr. Schenck said, "But I saw pictures of it in a newspaper. Perhaps I should say in the Examiner."

A laugh swept the courtroom at this thrust.

Mr. Blair also was used as an impeachment witness for Mrs. Besenty and his testimony differed with hers on matters she was quoted as having told him.

QUESTIONS WITNESS.

Mr. Woolwine's cross-examination brought before the jury a remote reference of the "two roughly dressed men" who Mrs. Obenchain told the officers had fled the scene after the shooting. Mr. Woolwine was asking the witness whether any cars could have gone by without Mr. Blair having seen them.

"If there had been two men in the car I would have looked closely," Mr. Blair said.

Bert W. Borden, fireman at Beverly Hills, described Mrs. Obenchain at the Beverly Police Sta-

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FLEET CRUISE IS UNDECIDED.

Navy Department Has Issued No Orders, Says Eberle.

Ships, However, Prepare for Voyage to Panama.

California to be Made the Flagship Today.

No official sanction of the proposed joint war maneuvers of the combined Pacific and Atlantic fleets off the coast of Panama during February and March has been issued by the Navy Department to date. This was the announcement made yesterday by Admiral Eberle, commander-in-chief of the Pacific Fleet, who has just returned from Washington.

The admiral assumed command of the fleet yesterday morning after an absence of several weeks at the national capital on temporary duty.

"Much depends," Admiral Eberle said, "on whether or not the department can see its way clear to spend the necessary money for fuel. Up to the time I left Washington a few days ago nothing had been decided and no orders have been received concerning the plan since I left there.

PREPARE FOR CRUISE.

"The ships of the Pacific Fleet are carrying out their preparations for the cruise to Panama, however, and if the order does come, we will be ready to sail on the date fixed upon in the original plans, which was February 6.

"I have just completed the Pacific Fleet's schedule of employment for the first six months of 1922 and have forwarded it to the Navy Department for approval or disapproval. The schedule includes the contemplated cruise of the fleet to Panama and participation in the proposed maneuvers with the Atlantic Fleet. The request for approval or disapproval of this schedule will, I think, bring definite news from the Navy Department very soon as to the actual plans for the first months of the new year. If the proposed maneuver plan is disapproved another program of employment for the fleet will have to be worked out."

CHANGES IN FLEET.

Admiral Eberle indicated that when he transfers his flag to the dreadnaught California at 10 a.m. today, making that ship the official flagship of the Pacific Fleet, several changes in the relative standing of other ships in the fleet will result. He stated that Vice-Admiral W. R. Shoemaker, commander of the battle forces of the fleet, with the Pennsylvania as flagship, will transfer his flag next Tuesday to the New Mexico, the ship Admiral Eberle is leaving. The Pennsylvania will then be assigned to the seventh battle division and will be under the command of Rear Admiral Charles F. Hughes, commander of that division.

In the event that the winter maneuvers are carried out the Pennsylvania will become, for the period of the maneuvers, the flagship of Admiral Hilary P. Jones, now commanding the Atlantic Fleet, who will be in supreme command of the joint fleets.

The dreadnaught New York, now at the Navy Yard at Puget Sound, will become the flagship of Rear-Admiral Richard H. Jackson, recently assigned to the command of the sixth battle division. Admiral Eberle said Rear-Admiral Jackson will assume his new command upon the arrival at Los Angeles Harbor of the New York, soon after January 1.

TO BE PROMOTED.

Capt. Jehu V. Chase, commanding the Arizona, flagship of battle division seven, who is to become a rear-admiral on January 1, will assume command of the Pacific Fleet train, with the second line battleship Connecticut as his flagship, as soon as Capt. George R. Marvell, the Arizona's new commander, arrives to relieve him, Admiral Eberle said.

Admiral Eberle verified reports that the Pacific Fleet is destined to lose almost 400 of its enlisted men in accordance with the recent order of the Navy Department to reduce forces. Every battleship in the fleet will be expected, he said, to discharged thirty-five men, providing that many apply for discharge on each ship. Quotas for discharge have been assigned the Submarine Base, fleet train ships, air station and destroyer forces of the Pacific also, he said, the total proposed reduction of naval personnel in Pacific waters being 800.

Admiral Eberle expressed pleasure at being back once more with his command, of which he is extraordinarily proud. He and Mrs. Eberle have established shore quarters at the Virginia Hotel, Long Beach. While at Washington, where he was ordered to serve in connection with the Navy General Selection Board last October, he came in official contact with many of the foreign delegates and diplomats at the Conference for the Limitation of Armaments and was present at several of the sessions.

CAR KILLS MEXICAN.

An unidentified Mexican about 50 years old was struck and killed by an inbound Pacific Electric train on the Whittier line between Laguna and Edgewater yesterday evening. The man is said to have crossed the right of way just as the train started ahead. The body was removed to the J. D. Button undertaking parlors.

DOLL .. USED .. TO .. RAISE .. FUNDS.

Kiddie Koop Children to Profit by Club's Generosity.

Mary Miles Minter, with A. E. Morphy (left) and H. L. Harper

At auction in which biggest play baby hereabouts figured.

RAISING $650 by auctioning off a doll of immense proportions, the Electric Club at its luncheon at the Alexandria yesterday launched a plan to contribute $50 a month for the support of the Kiddie Koop in 1922. In the prize drawing for the "play baby" which followed, with Mary Miles Minter as the presiding genius, A. L. Lathrop of the Union Bank and Trust Company was the winner of the doll as the grand prize.

The funds raised yesterday will be used in part to provide a Christmas party at the Cinderella Roof Garden Thursday for the Kiddie Koop orphans. The party will take place in the afternoon, and members of the club will take lunch there with the children. Paul Howse will be Santa Claus.

At this entertainment each orphan will be given the present he or she has asked Santa Claus to bring, and in addition there will be stockings filled with candies and nuts for all.

In addition to Mr. Lathrop, dolls were awarded yesterday to W. E. Houghton and K. E. Van Kuran. Dr. J. Whitcomb Brougher, who was one of the speakers, asserted in commenting upon the money raised that he would get a real electric shock if he should receive such a collection at church. He concluded by inviting the club to attend his church in a body and indulge in another exhibition of philanthropy.

Sorority Leader to Wed Illinois Man in Pasadena

The marriage of Miss Sarah B. Harris of Pasadena and Richard Rowe of Jacksonville, Ill., which will take place the 28th inst., is of much interest here as weel as in Illinois. Miss Harris, who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Harris of 150 South Grand avenue, Pasadena, is national grand president of the Kappa Kappa Gamma Sorority and until a few months ago was dean of women at the School of Speech at Northwestern University. Evanston, Ill., was the home of the Harris family until a few years ago, when they moved to Pasadena, the bride-to-be remaining there and spending her holidays with her parents.

Mr. Rowe is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred H. Rowe of Jacksonville, Ill., who are to be here for the wedding. Mr. Rowe is a graduate of the University of Chicago and is a member of the Delta Kappa Epilson Fratenity.

The ceremony will take place at noon at the Harris home, with Dr. Robert Freeman officiating Miss Edna Harris will serve as maid of honor to her sister. A breakfast will follow. The couple will remain in California several weeks and then go to Jacksonville, where they will reside.

REPORTED MISSING.

County Employee Disappears, Wife Tells Police.

Edwin F. Lucas, 24 years of age, an employee of the County Assessor's office, is missing. It was reported yesterday by his wife, Mrs. Ruby Lucas, employed in the flood control office, that he drove in his automobile to a barber shop at Forty-eighth street and Western avenue, where he had his hair cut last Friday night. After that no trace of him has been found by his wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Lucas reside at 5166 St. Andrews street. On the night that Mr. Lucas disappeared he was in a cheerful frame of mind and had $50 in his pocket. His family believe that he was waylaid, his machine stolen and his body thrown out. Mrs. Lucas is in a critical condition at her home as a result of worry.

REPORT ON MONTHLY SCHOOL ATTENDANCE.

The total registration of pupils in the Los Angeles public schools for the month of December is 133,584, according to a report submitted to the Board of Education last night by the city superintendent of schools. The average daily attendance for the month has been 104,135, the report stated. New pupils registered during the month total 6255.

SOUTHLAND ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED.

Earl J. Thomson, Famous Athlete, to Wed Daughter of Glendale Minister.

Announcement was made of the engagement of Miss Anne B. Cookman of Glendale and Earl J. Thomson of Long Beach at a tea on Saturday at which Miss Cookman entertained at the home of her parents, Rev. and Mrs. W. W. Cookman. Miss Cookman is a graduate of Manual Arts High School and of the Normal School of Los Angeles. Mr. Thomson is at Dartmouth College, Hanover, N. H., and is an athlete of international fame, holding the world's record in the high hurdles. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Thomson of Los Angeles.

Forty guests were at the tea, which was preceded by a musicale. Poinsettias, holly and Christmas greens were used in the decorations.

The King of Belgium presented Mr. Thomson with a bronze statue of a Grecian marathon runner at Antwerp in 1920 when Mr. Thomson made a new Olympian record in the high hurdles. It was in the hand of this statue that a scroll was found bearing the engagement announcement.

PROTEST ON SEIZURE OF SHIP ENDS.

Government Not to Press Fishing Boat Fight With Mexican Authorities.

The United States government has decided to withdraw its protest against seizure by Mexicans of the Los Angeles fishing schooner Mabel, according to a dispatch last night from El Paso.

The Mexican consulate there also received advices from Mexico City that the Secretary of Agriculture had recommended the establishment of agencies at Los Angeles Harbor and San Diego to exercise supervision designed to prevent what the Mexicans assert is an illegal exploitation of fishing banks on the West Coast. The Mabel and her crew were taken to Ensenada, Lower California. They are now at this port. The crew were accused of fishing in Mexican waters without a license.

ATTORNEY WINS FEE.

Court Awards Sum After Lawyer Starts Suit.

Holding that a fee of $500 was not too much for numerous appearances in a criminal action, Justice Follette yesterday gave judgment for $250 as final payment to H. M. Dalton, an attorney, against Walter A. Gillespie.

Gillespie was convicted by a jury in Justice Hinshaw's court. He was found guilty of advertising for 500 women to work as extras in a motion picture, and to report at Floral Park. When they arrived Gillespie walked before them in scarcely any attire. He was sentenced to 150 days in jail.

The defendant had paid his attorney $250 and the suit was for the remainder.

INJURED BY AUTO.

Unidentified Man Run Down May Have Fractured Skull.

A man believed to be Jacob Bosheart of 2426 Highland avenue was severely injured at Fiftieth street and York Boulevard last night by an automobile driven by O. T. Vaughan of 5139 York Boulevard.

The injured man was taken to the Receiving Hospital. Police surgeons said he suffered a possible skull fracture.

THIEF RETURNS STOLEN FORTUNE TO EASE MIND.

Trick of Fate Causes Man to Give Up Large Sum and Go Back to Life of Poverty.

A thief yesterday voluntarily returned $120,000 worth of stolen bonds.

The man from whom he stole them, a retired business man, is not so well-to-do but that the recovery means much to him.

The man that persuaded the thief to return them is an Ohioan of wide interests, out here to look after the branch of a company of which he is president. He used to be a judge.

The man who stole and then returned the fortune has never earned more money than usually is paid to a clerical worker, and he probably never will. He is about 55 years old and not in the best of health.

In the issue of August 27, The Times reported how, in the absence of Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Mosher, a safe was stolen from their home at 1616 Curson avenue, Hollywood. The safe weighed 400 pounds, and was bumped down the steps and then evidently carted away. In it was $120,000, for the most part in securities of various kinds.

STARTLING SEQUEL.

Here is the sequel of a sort seldom found outside a book:

Josiah Kirby is president of the Cleveland Discount Company, owner of the Kirby Building in Cleveland, and director in several manufacturing concerns of Ohio. The discount company has offices in the Title Insurance Building, and Mr. Kirby, a few days ago, came to Los Angeles to inspect the branch here.

On Friday Mr. Kirby had a caller, a man middle age, who offered to exchange $5000 worth of municipal bonds for a quantity of real estate bonds. Mr. Kirby's firm specializes in the latter classification. The caller described his bonds, all good-as-gold securities.

But the caller did not have the manner of a man wanting to buy or sell at an advantage. Mr. Kirby as a bond salesman noted this. A good many years ago Mr. Kirby had been a police judge in Wyoming, O., and perhaps his experience then caused him to observe something else in the visitor's manner.

"Where did you steal the bonds?" he asked calmly.

ADMITS THEFT.

At last the caller confessed to the theft, and related its details. Then he told about his life. His life had not been eventful except for misfortune, the ordinary misfortunes. He had no family, his health had been poor, he had lost his position through the fault of another, he said, and he was out of work.

"But," Mr. Kirby said yesterday, "he didn't whine, he merely told about it. And I believed him. I didn't know what to do. Call the police? But I really had no evidence, and the man did not have the bonds with him. Then I remembered having read somewhere a verse about letting God do the punishing.

"I thought I could bring this man around, and I did. I told him frankly I didn't think he ever would earn much money because I didn't think he had enough brains. I didn't threaten him, for I had no threats to make; I just told him it would make him happier to do it. When I had finished with him he agreed to think it over, and he walked out of my office.

RETURNS FORTUNE.

"This man brought me the bonds—$120,000 worth. He said there had been $387 in cash in the safe. He said he had spent that, but he promised it will be returned.

"'I will get a job and pay it back,' he said without any indication that he had made an unusual promise. He didn't have much to say, merely that he thinks he will feel better if the stuff is returned. He said the man who drove the automobile didn't know it was a theft, just thought it was a job. So nobody knew about it until he told me. I guess he was pretty glad to tell somebody.

"I gave him some money, not much, just enough to help him until he can get work. I asked him to write to me at Cleveland and tell me how he is coming on. So he left. I called Mr. Mosher and returned the bonds to him, and there the matter ends. Mr. Mosher said he wants to know where to find this man; he, too, wants to help him.

'Now you see it is very much better, Mr. Mosher will have a merrier Christmas for it. I know I shall, and I believe this man will be merrier, too; I know he will.'

Mr. Mosher has never seen the man that visited his home on the night of August 26.

"I should like to meet him," he said yesterday. "You may be sure the recovery of the bonds means a lot to me. Mr. Kirby cannot be congratulated enough on what he did, particularly the way he did it."

Neither does Mr. Kirby know the identity of the thief.

"His name and address?" Mr. Kirby said last night. "That's something I didn't ask him."

WED, THEN QUIT JOB.

Wife Says Husband Refused to Work After Marrying Her.

When Ernest Barlen married he quit his job, according to a divorce complaint filed yesterday by Patricia Barlen. They were married in Long Beach March 31 and separated August 1. During the five months of their married life, the complaint asserts, Mrs. Barlen was compelled to earn her living.

The complaint was prepared by Attorney S. H. Underwood of the beach city.

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The People and Their Daily Troubles

DOROTHY DIX TALKS

It's Pep.

BY DOROTHY DIX.

The riddle of the sphinx, that every married woman spends her life trying to guess, is how to keep her husband interested in her. For it is easy enough to catch a man, but it is a perilous job to hold him, and none but the luckiest, or the cleverest of their sex succeed in doing it.

A thousand solutions of the problem of how to retain a husband's affections have been suggested. One is to feed the brute. Another is for the wife always to keep young and beautiful, and preserve a willowy figure. But there are manifest obstacles in the way of the working out of either of these amiable theories.

The husband who is stuffed like a Strasbourg goose is sure to develop dyspepsia, and peck the hand that feeds him, to say nothing of souring upon domesticity in general. Nor can any amount of wifely devotion stop the devastating march of time for a woman, and enable her to compete in appearance at middle age with a young and blooming flapper.

So the conundrum of how to keep a husband a lover has remained one of the Dundreary things that no woman could find out, and a man himself has supplied the answer.

And he says it's pep.

In a recent divorce case a woman testified that her husband told her that he had ceased to care for her and had fallen in love with another woman.

"Is this woman younger and better looking than I am?" asked the wife.

"No," said the husband.

"What charm, then, has she that I lack?" demanded the wife.

"She has pep," replied the husband, "she's alert, alive. You are bored, uninterested. Her kisses thrill, yours are perfunctory—the kisses of habit and duty."

There is no doubt that this man uttered the real explanation of what has always been the greatest psychological mystery in the world, and that is why men and women, who are wildly in love with each other when they get married, so soon fall out of love with each other. It is because they take no trouble to make themselves interesting to each other. They bring no zest to their daily life. They put no punch into domesticity, and the result is that when they want a thrill they have to go away from home to look for it.

Take this matter of the connubial kiss, for instance. Most married people consider that as much a part of the daily regime as putting on their shoes, or washing their faces, and it has just about as much real heart interest in it. A man hurries through his breakfast, and in his rush to catch his car, and with his mind full of the business of the day, gives his wife a ham-and-egg-flavored peck as he goes by. She, that is as liable to light on the back of her head, or the tip of her nose, as on her lips. He repeats the meaningless performance when he returns home, tired and hungry, of an evening, and he breathes a sigh of thank - heaven - that - is-over-with when the family ritual has been performed.

There are women who not only suffer these duty kisses, and return them in kind, but who insist upon them and remind the men who are trying to avoid kissing them that they have forgotten something. Such a woman is so stupid that she does not recognize that a kiss without passion behind it, an undesired kiss, is an insult. She doesn't even know, poor, dull soul, that every kiss of obligation is a nail in the coffin of love.

Of course, you cannot keep a thrill in anything you turn into a habit, and for that reason the family daily kiss should be abolished. If husbands and wives' lips only met in some emotional moment the domestic brand of kiss would have as many thrills in it as it did before marriage, instead of being the cold, clammy, flapjack kind of a thing that it is, and that is all that most wives ever get.

Why do husbands and wives bore each other so? They do, you know. Almost any married couple who are yawning their heads off when alone brighten up when company comes in and look ten years younger.

It is because they don't take the trouble to be interested in each other. When you analyze what we call fascination in a person you find that it is a certain aliveness, a keen, vital interest in everything that is being said or done. Ninety per cent of the married men who wander away from home go forth in search of some woman who will laugh at their jokes and talk to them about themselves and tell them how wonderful they are. Practically every woman who finds her real soul-mate in some man who isn't her husband has discovered him in some glib talker who discourses to her about her higher nature, and tells her that she is more beautiful at 40 than she was at 20.

Why husbands and wives haven't enough sense to apply these tactics to each other nobody knows. That they will work is a matter of common knowledge. For matrimony is like every other business on earth: you've got to put pep and zip into it to make it go.

LETTERS TO THE TIMES.

Need The League.

JEROME (Ariz.) Dec. 16.—[To the Editor of The Times:] In spite of the apparent popular sentiment against this country entering into alliances or agreements with other countries, which was shown at the last Presidential election, we find ourselves but a year later not only entering such an agreement but actually the author and sponsor of said agreement.

It is inevitable that such a state of affairs should come to pass. The nations of the earth have been brought so close together by modern inventions and have come to be so dependent upon each other that it has become necessary to have conferences from time to time in order to determine the best means of co-operating and of settling disputes which necessarily arise.

A conviction has been growing in the minds of many statesmen that the time has arrived when it is necessary to have more than occasional conferences and that the time is ripe for a permanent organization among nations. That conviction crystallized in the League of Nations. Because of a false belief in our isolation and a popular misconception of the league it was denounced and repudiated by this country. The delusion of our isolation having been exposed by present developments a belief is growing, even among the masses, that it is desirable for this country to enter some arrangement for regular meetings among nations for further discussion of armament and other problems.

One of the main arguments against the League of Nations was that this country might, against its wishes, be forced to send troops to some distant part of the world to preserve peace. A study of the covenant discloses, however, that a unanimous vote of the executive council, which was to consist of England, Japan, France, Italy and the United States, was necessary for such action to take place. If the United States voted "no" on any such question it could not be forced against its wishes to comply. Furthermore, if the League doesn't suit us, our moral force is sufficient to change it so it will.

So, if it becomes necessary to join a world organization, as now seems apparent, would it not be best to cast aside our prejudices and thoroughly re-examine the existing League before attempting to organize another?

L. B. GIEBELSTEIN.

Why, Oh, Why?

PASADENA, Dec. 14.—[To the Editor of The Times:] Listen to the groans of one who is under the yoke of a movie censorship, arbitrarily imposed upon us at the instigation of some too zealous reformers. There is a film on view this week in Pasadena, which I had anticipated deriving some pleasure from seeing. I find that one of the most artistic scenes, and some other parts have been cut out by orders of the censoress. The film is reduced, mutilated and spoiled. Now, if I were to purchase the original novel at a book store and set myself down at home for a pleasurable hour or two of reading, only to find that several pages necessary to the following of this plot, and the full enjoyment of the story, had been cut from what purported to be a complete work, I would lose my evening's diversion, but I could at least demand the return of the purchase price from the bookseller, or a complete volume either there, or elsewhere without much delay. But in the case of the mutilated film I have no redress, and it may be months before the opportunity presents itself of seeing the picture by going to Los Angeles, as, of course, a greater expenditure of time and money—I am one of the careless few—but with the pleasing conviction, as in the case of all picture plays, I may wish to see in future, that at any rate I shall be sure to get the complete screen story that I may be paying for.

The Pasadena system is unfair to the producer, who has spent much money in perfecting the picture, and that with due regard for the morality laws of the country, and, doubtless, a sense of what is within the limits of decency that will be tolerated by the general public. It is unfair to the lessee of the theater, whose business prosperity depends upon his being free to exhibit good films just as they are shown in the best theaters in Los Angeles. And it is unfair to the public who go expecting to see the whole film as it has been, is being or will be shown, in all other cities of importance in the United States and the world at large, and as they have seen it favorably commented upon and recommended by critics and reviewers, whose judgment they have confidence in.

Therefore, Why? Oh, Why?

J. ROBERTSON.

Would See the Books.

GOLDFIELD (Nev.) Dec. 16.—[To the Editor of The Times:] Our war debt to the civilized states of Europe is vastly more than the ten billions we advanced to them in the first three years of the war. There is no doubt but the North American continent was Germany's real objective in making the war. She coveted the untold wealth and the vast areas of the United States and Canada. Anything less would have fallen short of world dominion. For three years she did her utmost to induce us to go to war. Finally, when the manhood of the nation could no longer be restrained, we entered the contest. Meanwhile our armament makers had been profiteering greedily and without conscience or honor upon the necessities of the people who were fighting our share of the battle for the preservation of civilized society and human freedom. They sold them a billion dollar's worth of munitions and charged them ten billions. The whole theoretical and very unfair debt should, of course, be canceled and we should hang our heads in shame until this is done. One look at the books of the munitions makers would tell the whole story. Let us, therefore, have a look at the books. Then we can return to normalcy.

JOHN B. LEBON.

Objects to Sting.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 17.—[To the Editor of The Times:] I have heard of Pasadena. Have also heard that it has a flower show of some sort along about the first of the year; but the entire country knows that for the past several years there has been a football game at Pasadena on New Year's Day. Seems to me that advertising is worth while. For everyone who has heard of the Rose Tournament a thousand have heard of the intersectional football game. That game was the greatest advertising move ever devised by any city in the West. Why spoil the idea?

Now Pasadena has somehow got the idea that it confers something on the football teams that play there, also upon the people who see the games. Maybe it does, maybe it doesn't. Anyway, the nonresidents who were anxious to witness the intersectional games now are to be mulcted $50 for a series of games. And, it is in order to suppose the committee in charge is looking into the future when Pomona and Whittier high schools will be playing the annual contest instead of the country's leading teams.

California has a reputation among tourists that Pasadena is doing its utmost to sustain. I had heard long before coming to Southern California that here was the one place where the natives expected to sell climate—and little else—for all the tourist was unfortunate enough to have brought along. Looks as if the Pasadena stadium were about in that class. Isn't Pasadena the home of millionaires? It claims it is. Anyway, it should be able to build its own stadium without assessing persons who are brought to view the Tournament of Roses mostly by a desire to witness the annual football game. I would like to see the University of California play against Washington and Jefferson, but I do not intend to invest $50 with the chance of next year seeing two high school teams play the game.

I am not a Native Son nor an Iowan.

J. F. WESTFALL.

Faith in the Ladies.

Portland (Or.) Dec. 14.—[To the Editor of The Times:] The peculiar details attending the now famous Arbuckle case should give the law-abiding element of this country cause to consider. The valiant stand taken by Mrs. Hubbard deserves commendation in that it has set an example to the ladies, who may hereafter be called upon to discharge their duties as jury men.

Speaking from sad experience, I am free to state, that the men have so discredited our jury-system in the past, that justice was almost unobtainable, and I have it from the lips of a Superior Court Judge, that his daily experiences on the bench was more than sufficient to make him or any other man an anarchist. That the administration of justice in this country has been farcical, to say the least, is virtually common knowledge, and it seems to be quite appropriate, that we have adopted a "blind model" to symbolize it.

The moneyed interests have not only corrupted our legislative bodies, but their pressure has unbalanced the scales of justice throughout the country. That the legal fraternity is blamable to a great extent, needs no confirmation on my part. Suffice it to mention but the case of a railroad lawyer dictating the judgment rendered by a judge in the Supreme Court of the State of Washington.

However, the reports emanating from the Arbuckle case indicate to my mind, that in that respect, too, we may confidently look forward to a new era, and the ladies have a rare chance to demonstrate the wisdom of giving them the long-fought-for equal suffrage.

I desire to congratulate Mrs. Hubbard for having taken the lead, in the manner she did, and express the hope, that the many ladies societies in the land may take cognizance.

JULIUS ADLER

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Questions Answered.

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Question: Why is it that mistletoe grows only on the highest branches of trees? M. L. M.

Answer: Mistletoe requires a great deal of sunlight. For this reason in bottomland forests of the East mistletoe is confined to the highest branches of the tallest trees, but in the intensity of sunlight in the Southwest, mistletoe spreads over the entire tree.

Q.: Is there any State in which a woman's "Equal Rights Bill" has been passed? L.O.U.

A.: Wisconsin passed such a bill last June. It provides that "women shall have the same rights and privileges under the law as men in the exercise of suffrage, freedom of contract, choice of residence for voting purposes, jury service, holding office, holding and conveying property, care and custody of children and in all other respects. The various courts, executive and administrative officers shall construe the statutes where the masculine gender is used to include the feminine gender unless such constitution will deny to females the special protection and privileges which they now enjoy for the general welfare. The courts, executive and administrative officers shall make all necessary rules and provisions to carry out the intent and purpose of this statute."

Q.: Can flax be grown in many parts of the world? J. A.

A.: Flax can be and is grown in almost every part of the world where the climate is temperate.

Q.: What State had two brothers for governors? I. O. E.

A.: The publication of the fact that Tennessee has been governed by two brothers brought letters calling to our attention the fact that Connecticut also has had two governors who were brothers—Phineas C. Lounsburg, 1857-1859, and George E. Lounsburg, 1899-1901.

Q.: Is there a machine used in the salmon industry that does all the work of cleaning, cooking, and packing the fish? P. T. N.

A.: The Bureau of Fisheries says that there is a machine called the "Iron Chink" which is used in the salmon-packing industry on the Pacific Coast. This machine accomplishes all the processes mentioned. In the salmon industry on the west coast Chinamen are employed extensively. When the above-mentioned machine was invented and found to be successful, it was known as the "Iron Chink" because it did the work of the hands of many Chinamen.

Q.: Which is the correct form of the proverb—"All is not gold that glitters" or "All that glitters is not gold."? M. A. T.

A.: The correct wording of the quotation is "All is not gold that glisters." This appears in Middleton's "A Fair Quarrel." Act V, Scene I.

Q.: Who is the oldest Indian living? W. U.

A.: The Indian office says that Ka-Be-Nah-Givey-Wence (in English, John Smith) is considered the oldest Indian. His home is in Cass Lake, Minn.

Q.: Has Cleveland a city manager? L. H. E.

A.: At the present time Cleveland has not a city manager, but the last municipal election resulted in the adoption of amendments, whereby in November 1923, the City Council will be elected by proportional representation, and will choose as chief executive officer, a city manager.

Q.: How long is a Sabbath day's journey? H. R. O.

A.: A Sabbath day's journey is popularly supposed to be about one mile.

Q.: Is it true that a storage battery will reverse its voltage if it is cooled enough? J. F. P.

A.: You doubtless refer to a statement made by the Bureau of Standards to the effect that a storage battery, if it is cooled down to 110 degrees below zero Centigrade, the temperature of liquid air, then passed through it, electricity may reverse its voltage.

Q.: When and where was the first mail carried by airplane in the United States?

A.: The first mail carried by airplane on a continent was from New York for Boston, but the first mail carried by airplane in the United States was from Los Angeles to San Diego, a distance of 120 miles, on January 18, 1911, by Eugene Ely.

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The local institute opened yesterday in the Philharmonic Auditorium with an address on "Education and International Goodwill," by Dr. E. C. Sisson of Reed College. Dr. William F. Bade, president of the Pacific School of Religion and the Sierra Club, spoke on "John Muir's Interpretation of Nature."

The afternoon session was conducted in the Trinity Auditorium, where Dr. Bade delivered another address, and Miss Eleanor Colby gave a chalk talk on "Art in Every-day Life," touching particularly on the origin of design.

TODAY'S PROGRAM.

Today's session in the Philharmonic Auditorium will feature Dr. C. A. Prosser speaking on "The Rights of Childhood," and Dr. Charles H. Judd of the University of Chicago in an address on "Half a Century of Educational Expansion." Mr. Warde will speak in the Trinity Auditorium in the forenoon on "The Women of Shakespeare." In the afternoon there will be an illuminating talk in the Philharmonic Auditorium by Dr. M. L. Burton, president of the University of Michigan, entitled "A Possible Future for American Education."

County Superintendent of Schools Keppel is on the program for the teachers' convention Thursday. His talk will be on "Teaching California History." During the week many musical organizations from neighboring city high schools will provide brief musical programs. Several bands, orchestras and glee clubs will be featured.

VILLAGE IN HOTEL.

Beverly Hills Hostlery to Have Unique Christmas Feature.

Stanley Anderson, manager of the Beverly Hills Hotel, has arranged to set a miniature New England village in the hotel lobby, and use it as the principal scenic feature for the season's opening ball on Christmas Eve.

The village will be 30 by 60 feet and will be virtually a duplication of an average New England town in the dead of winter. In some of the dooryards will be pine trees from five to twenty feet high, and the front yard gate-posts will be mantled with imitation snow.

This set was recently built and used at the Ince studios in filming a photoplay. Mr. Anderson says that 300 reservations have already been made for the Christmas Eve ball.

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REPORTED MISSING.

Peter O'Quinn, 32, Baltimore Hotel, was reported missing by his wife last night. The report was made through Frank Ahlburg, 700 Corporation Building. The missing man was a packer for the American Fruit Growers. He had $75 on his person when last seen the 17th inst. His automobile was left behind. No reason for the disappearance was told to the police.

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A WOMAN'S WORK.

The Argentine Federation of Women is establishing trade schools for girls. The young women are to be taught something more than stringing beads. They are going after a man's job and will care that much less for the man.

A BAD ONE TO MEET.

A new armored battle plane will turn a four-inch shell and at the same time it carries thirty machine guns for offensive purposes. Any plans for world disarmament ought to include the putting of these aerial dreadnaughts out of business.

THE BOMB PLOTTERS.

Possibly that Warsaw anarchist who has confessed a share in the Wall-street bomb plot is only anxious for a chance to get back into this country. Life in jail in America is better than running at large in Russia. The prisoners here are usually well fed, at any rate.

FIELD OF ENDEAVOR.

Under the Pacific quadrapact American missionaries are given full play in Yap. They are granted all the rights they ever had and may maintain stations to their heart's content. It is predicted that the island will be pretty well flecked with missions before another season has closed.

A SWEET WORLD.

A magazine writer says that within a few years the average American family will be ordering its candy by the ton—just the same as it does its coal. Folks are using a lot of the stuff and economy will suggest that it be bought in job lots and kept in bins. Candy is substituting for alcohol in keeping the home fires burning.

ART AND THE BATH.

An eminent English painter and critic says that art in America is represented by a well-ordered bathroom. Our Raphael is a plumber and our Michelangelo a machinist. Well, to have a clean mind in a clean body is something. If the Americans use a bathtub for their shrine it speaks for clean living, at any rate. We don't care to monkey with an art that leaves a lot of mussy paint on the fingers.

FOR EPICURES.

The most delicious mushroom in the world is one that grows under the snows in the higher Alps. It is comparatively easy to pluck a handful of them if one is used to standing on a stepladder seven thousand feet high with a snow shovel in his hand. But by the time they reach the table of the New York gastronome they are worth about a thousand bucks a pound. Nice dressing for the Christmas bird.

YEARS AND DIVORCE.

A Maryland man is applying for a divorce at the tender age of 101 years. The evidence in the case largely consists of some affectionate letters sent to his wife by another man. This is more than he will endure. He wants no upstart octogenarians chasing after his spouse. The judge said that he would not grant the divorce unless the husband would promise to remain single for six months and this was finally agreed to.

SUFFERING SANTA!

The usual tragedy of the season is reported. Santa Claus was smoking a pipe in a New Jersey home. He nodded and presently his whiskers burst into flames. The fire extended to his clothing and Santa was so terribly burned that he had to be removed to a hospital. He will not be able to perform any more this season. But there are several substitutes out on the job and it is expected that the good work will go on just the same. The incineration of a Santa Claus or two cannot spoil our Christmas.

DAMAGED GOODS.

The Wisconsin Supreme Court has decided that the owner of an automobile is not responsible for injuries that happen to his guests. If they chance to get hurt in an accident they cannot expect to recover civil damages from the owner of the car any more than they would if they were guests in his home. Of course, there may be cases in which this interpretation would not apply, but in the main the principle is reasonable and just. If a man goes riding with a friend he doesn't have a come-back if Henry climbs his frame. It is treated as an act of Providence.

LADIES OF THE COURT.

Some of the representative club women of San Francisco who sacrificed the comforts of their homes in order to follow the frightful details of the Arbuckle case are now able to make report. One of them says that the evidence was not nearly as salacious as was expected. She says, however, that club women ought to make a deeper interest in trials and attend court proceedings more. The idea that women ought to attend court for education and entertainment is rather new. As a general proposition it has been thought that if all persons save the parties at interest were barred from the courts the dispensation of justice would be swifter and smoother. An audience has never been considered an important factor. But if the club ladies are going to throng the courts the supervisors will have to begin to talk about putting in tea wagons and lace curtains as a part of the court equipment. There is a feeling that, after all, the Arbuckle case spoiled some of the San Francisco women. It whetted their appetites.

CONFERENCE WRECKERS ROUTED.

Conference wreckers of the Hearst and Borah type are beginning to grasp at straws. One by one the major differences that threatened to disturb international comity in the Pacific area have been amicably composed and the delegates are preparing to adjourn with a record of accomplishment that spells bitter disappointment for those who hoped that it would break up in an international wrangle.

In fact, no international conference has ever been held in which there has been so little friction among the delegates. The congress of Vienna broke up twice in a row. Lord Beaconsfield ordered his baggage to be carried to his private car and chartered a special train to withdraw from the conference of Berlin; and it will be recalled that President Wilson directed that the George Washington be made ready for instant departure at a critical juncture in the Paris conference. But there has been no such play to the international gallery at Washington. The will to peace has been so manifest that no delegation has given any outward manifestation of even a fear that amicable agreements would not be reached on every question at issue.

There have been frequent efforts to magnify minor differences by distorting them under flaring headlines in the sensational press; but the delegates themselves have not been disturbed. They have proceeded in the even tenor of their deliberations and solutions have been reached that represent a victory for no nation, but justice for all. Japan was first selected as the trouble-maker of the conference. Her desire to preserve the Mutsu was represented as the rock on which the conference would split. The discussion over Japanese naval tonnage, however, ended by drawing the English, American and Japanese delegations closer together.

"When three men of honor pledge themselves to an enterprise because it is for their common good, even though they may be influenced by different motives, there ought to be no fear that the enterprise will not be carried out." Such is the view of one of the Japanese delegates in regard to reduction of armament, expressed early in the conference. He saw in Great Britain, Japan and the United States these three men and his faith in the ultimate result has been fully justified.

Failing to create dissension through the Japanese delegation, the conference wreckers turned their attention last week to France. They are now striving to stir up national animosities by misrepresenting the French position in regard to her future naval program. When the French delegation spoke of a program which would ultimately give to France ten capital ships it was seized upon by the wreckers and magnified into a failure of France to keep faith in regard to the ratio of tonnage agreed upon.

When the French program was explained, however, it was found that France did not contemplate building a single capital ship within the next five years. The first vessel was to be laid down in 1926 and the last was not to be completed until 1941, ten years after the agreement under consideration will have terminated. England, Japan and the United States are not likely to waste much time worrying over what France may be likely to do in the way of naval construction twenty years hence.

Premier Briand, according to Washington dispatches, has cleared away all misunderstandings in a statement which he has forwarded to Secretary Hughes. The French program would give to that nation in 1931 no more tonnage than she would be entitled to under the revision of the original estimate which permits Japan to retain the Mutsu and gives proportional tonnage to the other nations.

Whether France will desire to enlarge her navy ten years hence can only be a moot question at this time. The present government of that country cannot act for or speak for the government that will be in power in 1931. To talk about the naval program of any country in 1941 is simply to waste words. The present conference is dealing with the present and the immediate future. France may not be in a position financially to make any great increases to her navy five years hence; for her present indebtedness is heavy and her people may not care to burden themselves with the weight of additional taxes. The important thing to consider is that France does not contemplate the building of a single capital ship within the next five years. With that condition clearly set forth there is no occasion for disquietude concerning the future naval program of the French republic.

Reduction of naval armament, in so far as it relates to capital ships, may be considered as practically settled. There still remains the question of the unrestricted use of poison gas and submarines; but the spirit of amity and mutual concession which has marked the deliberations on other questions is still the dominating feature of the conference. From present indications about the only thing which is going to be wrecked is the program of the conference wreckers. H. G. Wells has boxed his typewriter and started for home; and with him depart the last hopes of the Hearst-Borah combination. When a conference becomes so harmonious that even Wells can no longer view it with alarm it is a pretty certain indication that the will to peace has proved invincible.

THE WILD WOMEN.

In connection with the strikes among miners and packing-house employees in the Middle West the peace officers have more trouble with women than with men. In Kansas the wives or sweethearts of the miners indulged in excesses far beyond the capacity of the men. In the Chicago stockyards the women threw red pepper into the eyes of the officers of the law or shot them down with every manifestation of glee. If the government is forced to interfere or if the States call upon the militia for peace service it will be on account of the interference of the women. The men will sometimes obey injunctions and respect civil authority. The wives of the strikers will acknowledge no law or authority. They are out looking for trouble and are reasonably certain to find it. They are impervious to argument. They are rather inclined to gloat over their irresponsibility and are noisy in their defiance of the law. But, now that the women have the vote, the job and other evidences of full equality, there is a disposition to hold them equally responsible before the law. Some day an injunction will be found strong enough to restrain a woman.

HARD OF HEAD.

A wild man with horns four inches long on each side of his head has been captured in British South Africa. He might be a good party to train for King of Ireland.

Under Which Flag?

JAPANESE FOR OPEN DIPLOMACY.

"Motives have become public property and secretiveness is born of evil," according to Motosada Zumoto, president of the National Press Association of Japan. In an interview which appeared in The Times Monday morning this Japanese publisher and statesman asserted that "secretiveness is a vice of the Japanese people." He was passing through Los Angeles on his way home from the Disarmament Conference and, in his opinion, the lesson of the benefits derived from frank, open speech is the most important one learned by the Japanese at the conference.

When Secretary Hughes announced to the world the American policy in relation to the limitation of armaments the Japanese delegates were aghast. Under the old regime in Japan governmental policies were not to be discussed, but to be obeyed. But the Japanese are quick to learn. Their open-mindedness is a virtue for which they have not received sufficient credit in the western world. It would seem that no people are more ready to divest themselves of ancient prejudices, once their fallacy is exposed.

Japan's rapid progress during the last fifty years is due in a large part to the readiness with which her statesmen accept new ideas, when their worth is demonstrated. Her delegates to the Disarmament Conference have been quick to sense the trend of western thought. If their ideas are accepted by the imperial government of Japan the policies of that nation will henceforth be openly expressed. There is something appealing to Japanese honor in the American plan of playing the diplomatic game. "As you say in this country," observed Mr. Zumoto, "the cards must be laid on the table." He added that "education is the salvation of manhood and the book of knowledge must lie open."

This statement of policy is in direct opposition to the secretiveness formerly observed by the Japanese government in its foreign relations. By their acts alone the intent of the Japanese has been known. But, according to Mr. Zumoto, the era of secret diplomacy in Japan has definitely ended. His country will go as far as any other in making known in advance the line of policy its government will pursue. "The world is entering into an age of open-mindedness and sincerity in all things," said Mr. Zumoto. "It is the only basis on which true friendship can exist among men and between nations."

These quotations are not translations, not an interpreter's version of the expressions of the Japanese publisher. Mr. Zumoto is a finished English scholar and it is doubtful whether Secretary Hughes himself has expressed more clearly and forcibly the object and the advantages of open diplomacy in dealings between men and nations.

Japan is the one world power that cannot be judged according to past performances; for the Japanese statesmen frankly admit that they are just learning the things necessary to enable the Japanese to live at amity with the peoples of Europe and America. Their tradition in foreign relations does not extend back of a period of fifty years and, if their statesmen are to be believed, the Japanese have had enough of foreign wars and hope that the Japanese sword will never again be unsheathed on foreign soil. They have fought in the past because they were not aware that there was any other way; but they say they prefer an honorable peace to a successful war.

Judging from the expression of the Japanese delegates in this country, Japan is not so belligerently inclined as we have been wont to regard her. Americans will do well to give serious thought to the assertion that the Japanese fought in the past "because they did not know there was any other way." It is a bitter but just commentary on the way the foreign policies of different nations were carried on prior to the World War.

At the Washington conference the Japanese delegates believe that they found a better way. Their belief is shared by the people of the United States and by those of all the other nations participating in the conference. As predicted by The Times, the will to peace has proved stronger than the machinations of politicians and diplomats.

DRINK DREADFUL DRAUGHTS.

With liquor to the north of us and more to the south it is hardly to be wondered at that the Pacific Coast does not become a desert for the thirsty, though the prohibition amendment has become a part of the Constitution. Great ships, loaded with the best from the distilleries of Scotland and Ireland, go sailing by this port to British Columbia, where a beneficent government has taken all intoxicating liquor under its own control and makes a barrel of money out of acting as bonifface. And it is stated that no small quantity of the whisky imported by the Canadian province finds its way, by devious means, to the States of California, Oregon and Washington. Liquor which is sold in British Columbia for $4 a bottle is smuggled south and is said to fetch from $15 up. The coast beyond the northern boundary line is indented with many fiords and its gulfs are studded with islands which afford ideal hiding places for smugglers. They are many and the revenue officers are few. There is much profit in shipping bonded whisky from British Columbia to California. Recently a cargo of "fish," brought to Los Angeles Harbor from a Canadian port, was found to be composed chiefly of Scotch, once so popular here for hot toddies and for drinking Christmas healths. One of the things which makes prohibition, so-called, particularly unpopular with many is that the rich can always obtain smuggled goods of the best quality, while the poor must either go without or drink the vilest concoctions. Even if one admits that much benefit has resulted from the partial closing of the sources of supply it cannot be gainsaid that a vast amount of evil has also followed the drinking of dreadful draughts.

COULDN'T CUT THE RATE.

Truly, there is no end to this radio telephone thing. The transmission of radio telephone conversation is still a somewhat expensive and elaborate task, especially if any real distance is to be spanned, although for short distances the equipment is quite simple and inexpensive. But in the broadcasting feature we have only begun. Perhaps it may be that a time may come when special broadcasting stations will be operated for the sole benefit of certain subscribers, who will pay a monthly or yearly fee for the service. How the broadcasting stations will prevent nonsubscribers from securing the full benefit of the service is a problem, to be sure; but we anticipate that a quite satisfactory and simple manner will ror of its conquets of doomed and struggle found to protect such service against unlicensed receiving sets. Perhaps the means may be an arrangement of constantly shifting wave lengths for the transmitter, with the same shifting wave lengths at the receiving end, the commutators or other devices performing this function being carefully synchronized. At any rate, if such a service should be found profitable and set up quite distinctly from the present gratuitous services, we may look to the day when the American family, by a slight adjustment of its radio receiving set, designed like a cabinet phonograph, may turn from heavy Wagnerian opera to light American musical comedy, and from a French song to a Slav march. Not plain phonograph music as at present, mind you, but real music from the leading theaters and concert halls of the nation. A worth-while by-product for the theater and concert hall—and for the church, when we come to think it over.

A retrospective survey is just as astounding as this look ahead. So why may we not reasonably expect these various things to come to pass?—[Scientific American.

MINCE PIE.

Perhaps it is taking advantage of the enemy to refer to the subject of mince pie so soon after Thanksgiving, but an aroused and indignant public sentiment will not be restrained. The old adherents of that one-time great American institution known as mince pie cannot longer be muzzled. A sacred old edifice seems tumbling about their heads. For the old-fashioned mince pie has been substituted a camouflage under the same name, and loyalty to an old friend compels the exposure of the fraud.

What has become of the mince pie of the fathers, which mother used to make? Until that question is answered a large and riotous party of American citizens will march under the banner of H. G. Wells proclaiming that civilization is threatened and the social order is crumbling.—[Kansas City Star.

SANTA'S SECRETS.

BY JENNIE VAN ALLEN.

My little day is almost ended. Soon, very soon, I will lay aside scarlet coat, take off my high boots, shave my whiskers and cut my hair.

I am a repository of wonderful secrets and my eyes spill tears as I remember that children have asked me for gifts that would make them independent citizens and yet I was powerless to grant them; that in my factory there are not enough presents for the 40,000 children who have poured into my ears the desires of their hearts.

"Oh, Santa Claus, please get papa out of jail!" "Please give us some furniture for our little house that mama earned at the wash tub!" "Please give sister a 'rustly' petticoat and a pair of silk stockings! She's so pretty and wants to dress like other girls!" "Please give papa a little patch of hair for the bald spot on the top of his head!" "Please send us a plum pudding—the kind that mama used to have when she was a little child in England—the kind that has a fire burning on top!"

"Oh, Santa Claus, please bring me a friend! My mama has a friend who comes to see her every evening. Please bring me a friend. I am so tired of being alone!

"Please bring me a fiddle so I can be in the school orchestra." "Please bring my grandmother a spider! Oh, no, not a spider that spins a web, but the kind that grandpa used on the plains for bacon and flapjacks!" "Won't you give me a 'teddy bear'—not a stuffed plush bear, but a kind of a shirt that women wear—a pretty pink one trimmed with ribbons and lace."

I love to hear the boys ask for what they want. "I want a bunch of bees—the kind that lays honey in a comb. If you could give us a big enough bunch I could sell honey and make a lot of money!" "Won't you give me a burro? No, not on wheels. I want a live one. And Santa, can you give me a little cart so I can haul stuff for the neighbors and earn my clothes?" "I'd rather have a cow than any thing in the world. I could sell milk and help support the family."

"Can you give me a pony—the kind that has 'pie' before it?" "Won't you give me a pair of pants? I've always had made-overs and hand-me-downs. I think I deserve a pair of store trousers." "Please give us a baby. Mama thinks it would tame me down to have a little sister." "My brother's in the hospital with a broken leg. Can't you cure it and bring him home on Christmas eve? It's all the Christmas we want!"

"Say, Santa Claus, be sure and call at our house this Christmas! I asked you to come last year and bring us a new mama. You brought her all right, but she's such an awful grouch we can't live with her. So we want you to come some night and take her away and bring us a nice, pleasant mama."

My heart skipped a jump when a frail little fellow sidled up to me and asked me to bring him some pills to make him good. "I'm not really bad, but I'm not healthy and my mother says I'll be well if I'm good."

Quite the queerest gift was asked by a timid 16-year-old boy who hooked his arm into mine and whispered excitedly:

"Say, Santa, I want a wife for Christmas!"

"That's a big order, young man."

"Oh, I've got my girl picked out, but she don't want to be married until Christmas Day, while I've set my heart on Christmas eve. We're just kids, but I think it will be fine to hang up our stockings and give you a chance to fill them."

"What do your folks thing about this kind of a Christmas gift?"

"Oh, they don't know anything about it."

"Well, the law doesn't allow children to marry without their people's consent. You bring the two mothers here and let us all talk it over together. If they think it is a good idea I'll do my best to convince your bride that Christmas eve is better than Christmas Day for a wedding. If your folks are willing I'll have my reindeers here with the bells to take you to the parson's."

And I like to talk to mothers—these brave souls who not only have the courage to bear children, but to bear with them. "And what does this little girl want?" I asked the weary mother of half a dozen youngsters. "All I want is health and strength to bring up my little ones."

Some of the fathers are made of good stuff, especially the men who manfully confess in the presence of their boys and girls:

"I want to be a better man. I want to be the man I want my boys to be. I want to be successful so I can give my children a liberal education. So Santa Claus, if you have any of these things in your laboratory be sure and leave a liberal sample in my stocking!"

Christmas is almost here and I will be sorry to turn the key in my pretty little house in the department store. I shall be sorry not to see the endless procession pass me with their gifts of pennies, apples and oranges. I look so big to the wee ones, but they think me very gorgeous in my ermine-trimmed coat, and they love me because they think I come straight from Santa Claus land.

To me the most healthy sign of the coming generation is that the men of tomorrow have something that is a producer, a money-maker, something that takes them back to God's first gift to the world—the soil. It bespeaks a fine moral fiber when they pass through the lure of the glittering, dazzling array of playthings piled high in the toy department and ask for health, for friends and for home comforts.

Koo, Koo.

Looks as though the dove of peace had a real chance at the Disarmament Conference, with Dr. Koo as one of the delegates.—[Life.

TWO MINUTES OF OPTIMISM.

BY HERMAN J. STICH.

What Chance Has the "Baby"?

Newspaper writers frequently receive queer letters. And one of the queerest came in the mail the other day.

It is from a boy of 16, who, strangely enough, is number sixteen in a family of sixteen.

He is terribly down-hearted because all his elder brothers and sisters are so much brighter, cleverer and abler than he is.

So he is discouraged and down in the dumps and sees no light ahead and asks what to do!

We have been looking up this matter of large families and have fun across some rather interesting facts—one of them that a surprising number of occupants of the world's scroll of name and fame are younger members of big broods.

Luther Burbank, for instance, is the thirteenth child of a family of fifteen. Henry Steinway was the youngest of a family of twelve. John and Charles Wesley were two in a nice little circle of nineteen.

Daniel Webster was the eleventh little Webster. Theodore Parker was also the eleventh and last in his family. Frederick Froebel and Beethoven were preceded by big broods that achieved oblivion.

William and Caroline Herschel had nine brothers and sisters. Josiah Wedgewood and Richard Arkwright were each the thirteenth child of their mothers—and history records that they were not unlucky, either.

James Oliver was the baby in a family of eight. And Benjamin Franklin was one of a family of seventeen—last except "another baby," or so. However, the soul of Ben goes marching on, while those of his brothers and sisters have long since rested in peace.

Witness, also: Samuel Gompers, Russell Sage, Andrew Carnegie, Marshall Field, Jacob Gould Schurman, Richard Mansfield, Enrico Caruso, Ogden Armour and a host of others the editor has called a halt on, who were "one of many."

Cheer up, son. The fact that you are the "baby" of the family seems to put you in Destiny's favored class. It should stimulate you to "show" them—just as it has no doubt done to those leaders who stand out and who were preceded by a goodly assortment of perfectly respectable brothers and sisters, whose chief claim to distinction lies in their being next of kin to the last or next to the last little, wailing, surprise party.

RIPPLING RHYMES.

MY NEIGHBORS.

My neighbors all are splendid jays, a credit to their race; and evermore I sing their praise upon the market place. And so I've made the discords cease that used to jar my nerves, and any gent who longs for peace must emulate my curves. Time was when I would pass along the evil tales I heard and say that Johnson's life was wrong, Jones was a wicked bird; it tired me that I must endure Jed Bunkum and his gall; and sinful motives, I was sure, inspired my neighbors all. It is not strange that men grew sick of hearing talk like that, and now and then a well-aimed brick would spoil my Sunday hat. And when I found I had no friend in all the region nigh I reared my person up on end and asked the reason why. The reason was not hard to find; I saw it through my tears; and I remarked, "I have been blind and batty all these years. I have refused to see the good in any human skate and now, throughout the neighborhood men sing the hymn of hate. They throw their tin cans in my yard, they slo dogs on my cow, and I, a fat and futile bard, can see the reason now." Then I reformed and on my lyre I made a solemn pledge that I'd find something to admire in all men, and not hedge. So I began to roundly boost Tom, Dick, James, John and Jake, and neighbors bless me when I roost and praise me when I wake.

WALT MASON.

AIN'T IT JUST SO?

Judge Hibbard says he sees by the Papers that New York Friends of Irish Freedom are against any Sort of peace being arranged between the overseas Irish and the English and he can sympathize With them and he knows exactly How they feel, for he has been employed in the Buckenfarga will Case ten years and the other day Just when he had figured out What Christmas cheer he could Buy his friends this year with The December allotment of fees The heirs came to a settlement And there'll be no more fees, And he calls it a scurvy deal, And he calls it a scurvy deal That Griffith and his ilk should Have made peace, never considering how American Friends of Irish Freedom are to continue to Raise subscriptions for the cause When there is no longer cause to Solicit subscriptions for at Twenty or thirty or forty per Cent commission and how are men Of Irish blood to continue running for office in this country On the platform of Down with the English if the home-grown Irish Make peace with them.

THREL FALL.

So He Won't Get Cold Feet.

The traffic policeman who stands for hours at a time at the busiest street crossings in the large cities has little opportunity for exercise and often suffers severely in the winter from the cold. It is reported that one city will provide for the comfort of its traffic policemen during the winter by installing in its streets electric heaters for the purpose. It is said that the city has appropriated about $1000 for placing at twelve downtown street crossings small heaters, on which the traffic policeman can stand to keep his feet warm.—[Kansas City Star.

PEN POINTS

And now Russia is to boat.

Won't someone start a slogan for the anti-starvation movement?

Hats off to Wales. He squires seven ladies at once at a time. Only three billion others.

The four-power pact has to be ratified. Senator Reed is opposed to it.

We read in an account of a great Christmas tree that what made it so was that it was a Fir.

Flag bravely flies at half mast for 30 days. Quite a long swim in the ocean for many.

One of the Chinese generals the arms parley has to do things and gone home thing!

It may yet be a minister will succeed in drawing the teeth of the war.

We are getting back to normalcy," but we are not yet "Yuletide" season. It is still early.

The fortune of [illegible] finally been found at $60,000. And just to [illegible] for a song.

Things are looking up. At the close of the year there will be no more of the [illegible] before January.

Everybody ought to be a bulldog sheep or a [illegible] tel just to learn how to [illegible] for no other reason.

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PEN POINTS

And now France is rocking the boat.

Won't someone invite a new slogan for the nation-wide prosperity movement?

Hats off to Uncle Sam! He acquires some nation to owe him three billion dollars.

The four-power peace pact seems to be popular—the immortal Reed is opposed to it.

We read in an exchange that great Disraeli wore corsets. Now that what made him great?

Fine brandy is selling in Paris for 20 cents a quart. Not a long swim to the capital of many.

One of the Chinese delegates to the arms parley has taken to pulling things and gone home. That's the thing!

It may yet be necessary to employ a minister an anaesthetic before drawing the teeth of the next war.

We are getting back to normalcy," but we see nothing about "Yuletide" season. However, it's still early.

The fortune of Enrico Caruso has finally been figured up at $11,000,000. And just to think he sang for a song.

Things are breaking nicely for the close of the year. There will be no more of the Stillman before January.

Everybody ought to attend the bulldog show at the Ambassador hotel just to learn how to bark for no other reason.

It is now claimed that wireless is a form of disease, but people seem to be afraid of catching it as many of us are inventing it.

With the Irish question settled, what is to become of Frank P. Walsh, the eloquent Irishman who talks for hours after he gets started?

Germany has given official notice that she cannot meet the January and February reparations payments. Of course, the United States is to blame.

It is our idea that a dancing master should never wear a fancy vest or long white gloves. He should be attired according to Hoyle, not according to Worth.

In view of the opening of Parliament and the position of the pipers, will they begin to rehearse "The Blue Bonnets Have Come Back" to the old-time tune, "A Rocky Road to Dublin."

Wolfe Lindenfeld has been arrested in Warsaw in connection with the Wall-street bomb explosion of September, 1920. He may be guilty, but the name is against him.

What about Yap, which we were all so concerned about some months ago. What we would like to know is whether the Yap islanders are still using stone money?

If in need of money or other security that will be taken by the bank for a temporary loan, don't bother your friends or relatives, but only to lose both your cash and friendship.

Sir Harry Lauder is on his way and it must be said to the credit of the canny Scot that he does not advertise it as his farewell tour. He will be with us as long as the 'alls are filled.

It all depends. The popularity of a short skirt depends entirely on the pulchritude of the wearer. We know of quite a number that would be safe, no matter how short the skirt might be.

Secretary Denby says the marines are deficient. The battleship Maine sunk in San Francisco harbor could not lift itself to the surface without the aid of a derrick, a task which was certainly a tackle.

India is likely to be heard from in her demand for home rule. The success of the Simla conference encouraged the natives. The visit of the Prince of Wales is now there looked upon as a little things, but he is having a great success.

There are two Charles Evans Hughes—one was the Republican candidate for President in 1916, the other is the head of the conference to limit the armament of the world. The candidate of five years ago has grown immeasurably in the good opinion of the United States and the world since that time.

SANCTUARY.

What thing were nature,
With schemes of love to
Invest
With circumstance,
Linking earth's beast to
cled best,
Questioning stars with
sets askance?
Naught but a dim
time,
Which ripens only
seeds,
Where noons are
grows sublime,
Save it gain height
our needs.
I am returned from
my heart,
From spring's
to love of you,
From passion's
art,
From night to
glimmers through—
And there, upon a
not freeze,
The fire yet burns
there.
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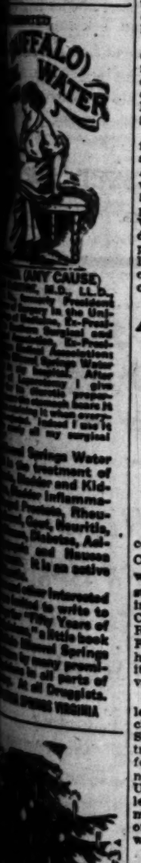

PRAISES WORK AT ARMS MEET.

Step Toward Peace, Japanese Viscount Asserts.

Urges Friendly Agreement on Race Problem Here.

Party of Notables of Nippon Goes South Today.

"The Conference on Limitation of Armaments is a great success to date. The Chinese question, problems of the Pacific and the four great nations' alliance point toward peace indefinitely. The only question remaining for amicable settlement now between the United States and Japan lies in California."

These statements were made by Viscount Shibusawa yesterday to officers and directors of the Chamber of Commerce and a few guests at a luncheon at the California Club, in honor of the distinguished Japanese and his party, who are returning home from the conference in Washington.

The Viscount expressed his friendship and admiration for the United States and voiced the hope that the last cause of friction between the peoples of Japan and the United States may be eliminated by better understanding.

TELLS OF MISSION.

Viscount Shibusawa told of his mission to this country and what he hoped to achieve. He recalled how in 1909 he felt that misunderstanding was developing and that it might assume serious proportions if not combated. He made his first trip to the United States at that time and in 1915 he came again.

Prior to this visit he retired from active business life in Japan, which included direction of many corporations and presidency of Japan's largest bank.

He came again this year, he said, as a private citizen, having no official mission but as a lover of his own country and a staunch friend and admirer of the United States. He went first to Washington to attend the sessions of the conference and said that he came from Japan with a heavy heart, but will return feeling that a great step has been taken through the action of the United States toward universal and perpetual peace, and that he hopes the only remaining source of friction—the problem of Japanese immigration—soon will be eliminated without engendering bitterness or strife.

Consul Oyama spoke briefly, thanking the business men for their courtesies to his distinguished fellow-countryman.

Japanese guests present in addition to the Viscount and Japanese Consul, were Dr. K. Kobata, official interpreter; M. Masuda, executive secretary to the Viscount; Dr. Y. Hosaka, personal physician; Sei Fujii and A. Hori.

The Japanese will leave today for two days' visit in San Diego, after which they will return to Los Angeles for a brief stay. They will visit San Francisco, Portland, Seattle and other Pacific Coast points before returning to Japan. While in San Diego, the party, under the direction of R. S. Goh, Imperial Valley capitalist, will visit Lyman J. Gage, former Secretary of the Treasury and an old friend of the Viscount.

ACCUSES JAPAN OF AGGRESSION

Will Have to Withdraw from Siberia, Russian "Y" Secretary Says.

Gaspadian Leonid I. Sokoloff, recently appointed secretary of Y.M.C.A. boys' work in Vladivostok, who will return there after a year of study in this country, said, when interviewed at the central Y.M.C.A. yesterday, that all phases of Russian life are demoralized. Famine and disease, he asserted, have overrun the country, and with it all there is no money of any value.

"Charity will not solve the problem, for no available amount of charity can feed all Russia," Mr. Sokoloff declared. "What the country needs is business. In return for the machinery absolutely necessary from England and the United States, Russia can afford to lease concessions for the development of her unlimited resources in oil and minerals. This is the only way out."

Mr. Sokoloff asserted that without permission the Japanese have taken possession of the fortresses and harbors of the Primorskaya ablast, the district surrounding Vladivostok.

"After the Washington conference," Mr. Sokoloff added, "I feel sure Japan will be forced to withdraw, for all real Russians are against the Japanese occupation. seven or eight clashes between various parties have been traced to Japanese intrigue."

A meeting of Russians at the Baptist church on Gless street and an address at the central Y.M.C.A. yesterday were the only public appearances of Mr. Sokoloff. He and Mrs. Sokoloff left this morning for San Francisco, where they will take a steamer for Vladivostok.

PROHIBITS PARKING.

Ordinance Adopted at Fire Chief's Request.

The City Council yesterday adopted an ordinance prohibiting the parking of vehicles on First, Second and Fourth streets, between Hill street and Grand avenue, and on Fifth street and Grand avenue to Hope street.

The no-parking measure was was adopted at the request of Fire Chief Scott, who stated that on account of the steep grade on these streets, making right-angle parking necessary, the fire department was hampered in forcing a way for apparatus through these streets.

Other amendments to the traffic laws adopted yesterday included the placing of Los Angeles street, between Seventh and Eighth, in the congested district area, inside of which forty-five minutes is the parking limit, instead of two hours, as at present. The new ordinances take effect in thirty days.

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54x54 inches, $15.75 and $22.50

Madeira Centerpieces
Hand-embroidered; 24x24 in size; each, $2.45 to $2.50.

Madeira Napkins
13x13-in. size, dozen; $10.85 and $12.75

Madeira Doilies
6x6 inches, 25c and 35c.
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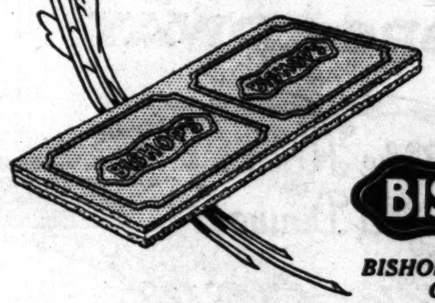

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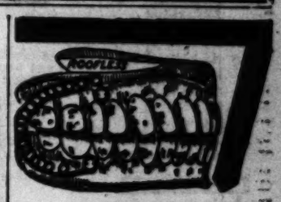

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SEEK TO ROB SCHENCK HOME.

Two Masked Men Bind Maid and Threaten Death.

Burch Lawyer's Wife Leaps from Window, Gets Aid.

Armed Marauders Flee from Scene in Automobile.

Quick thinking and action on the part of Mrs. Paul W. Schenck, wife of the chief of fense counsel in the trial of Arthur C. Burch, yesterday prevented two young bandits from burglarising her home at 1230 Berkshire avenue, Sierra Vista, and from robbing herself and her maid.

The women were alone in the house when the young men, muffled in heavy overcoats, approached. Mrs. Schenck had shortly before telephoned for electricians to repair light wires, and the maid, Peggy Wilson, thought the men had come for that purpose. In response to their knocking she told them to enter. In the kitchen they put masks on their faces and advanced on her, one carrying an automatic. He said: "Keep still or we'll kill you." They tied her hands and feet and were thus occupied when Mrs. Schenck came out of a bathroom and looking through the doors of two rooms saw the men at work. Mrs. Schenck had been attracted by a muffled scream of the maid.

One of the youthful bandits saw Mrs. Schenck and they gazed at each other for a second. Then Mrs. Schenck turned and fled to a bedroom, at first seeking a revolver. Then she locked the door after her, went into another room and locked the door there. She jumped through a window, landing outside in a mud puddle. Screaming, she attracted neighbors, and the bandits fled in an automobile.

Deputy Sheriffs Wright and Strong and Detectives Lofthouse and McCauley of Lincoln Heights Station, accompanied by Deputy Sheriff Allen, a finger-print expert, investigated.

Dr. J. B. Dunsha, a neighbor of Mr. and Mrs. Schenck, gave the deputies a description of the youths, whom he said appeared to be high school students, wearing tweed caps and top coats. They were rather short, but well-built. It was stated the two may be arrested at anytime.

Mr. Schenck, after investigating, stated he considered the case as an ordinary one of attempted burglary, but that he "would give $5000 to their heirs, if he had been home."

SAILORS PLAN FEASTS.

Christmas Day aboard the big dreadnaughts of the Pacific Fleet will be anything but dull. Practically every ship is planning some sort of a party, several including the entertainment of hundreds of children from Los Angeles.

The Christmas dinner will be one of the big events of the day, and rumors of good things emanating from the ships' galleys and the commissary stewards' departments have whetted the appetites of the thousands of sailors who man the ships.

An idea of what is in store for Uncle Sam's sailors of the fleet on Christmas Day can be gleaned from the bill of fare for the Christmas dinner to be served the men of the dreadnaught Mississippi. It will serve to describe the Christmas meal for every other ship in the fleet.

Here it is:

Cream Tomato Soup
Soda Crackers
Roast Turkey
Giblet Gravy Cranberry Sauce
Sage Dressing
Baked Boiled Ham
Cold Roast Pork
Lettuce and Tomato Salad
French Dressing
Cream Corn Mashed Potatoes
Mince Pie Chocolate Cake
Ice Cream
Oranges Apples Bananas
Assorted Candies Nuts
Lemonade Hot Coffee
Cigars Cigarettes
Bread Butter

Many of the enlisted men, and practically all of the officers, have families ashore, either at the harbor or at Long Beach, and for these there will be dinners in their homes. Scores of others will be on shore leave extending from twenty-four to seventy-two hours and quite a few will be on furlough. But for the thousands of men that make up the fleet, a large part of the day will be spent aboard ship.

KENNEDY DEATH STORIES DIFFER.

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tion as nervous, on the verge of collapse, crying, biting her fingers and sick at her stomach.

Mrs. Obenchain arrived at the police station with George Deering, a resident of the glen, about 9:45 p.m., Mr. Borden said.

Mr. Summar was recalled by the defense for the purpose of asking him several questions about purported conversations he had with other persons. On all of these times, Mr. Summar was quoted as saying he could not positively identify Burch as the man seated in a Dodge roadster about 9:45 o'clock on the night of the murder in Santa Monica Canyon. Mr. Summar recalled the time and place of the conversations, but in each instance denied the assertions attributed to him.

NAILS WITNESS.

In cross-examination, Mr. Keyes asked, "You were requested not to talk about the case, weren't you?"

"Yes," the witness said.

"But you did talk didn't you?" asked Mr. Schenck.

"Yes," came the answer again.

Mrs. Besenty's testimony, coming directly after that of Mr. Summar, was along a similar vein. She was emphatic in her declarations that she did not say the things attributed to her by other witnesses and persons, who are under subpoena to appear as witnesses.

While denying the asserted conversation she had with Rev. H. J. Hartzell, Methodist minister living in the glen, she caught his attention with a fiery glace and glared at him until virtually all the spectators and jurors were watching the byplay.

Not only did Mrs. Besenty deny the assered conversation between her and Mr. Martzell, but she declared the latter told her not to talk any more than she had to and that the les she knek the better. This was on the morning of the 6th inst., when she was preparing to come to court under subpoena, she stated.

STATE REOPENS CASE.

Before the defense opened its case, Mr. Keyes obtained permission from the court to reopen the State's case. Mr. Schenck objected to the reopening of the case, but was overruled.

Col. H. B. Hersey, meteorologist at the local United States Weather Bureau, was called by Mr. Schenck and testified regarding weather conditions on August 5, the night of the murder, and on the day before and after. He said that August 5 was cloudy, that the sun set at 6:51 p.m., and the moon soon afterward and that there was a four-mile-an-hour wind blowing at 9 p.m.

The purpose of calling this witness was to show that there was no moonlight on the night of the shooting and that the sun set more than two hours before the time of the murder.

Mr. Keyes presented the last of the State's witnesses for the case in chief when he called James Stevenson, formerly in the employ of the District Attorney's office. The witness asserted that he was present in the County Jail hospital room when Dr. J. J. Finley performed a minor operation on Burch's knee about August 10. Although Mr. Stevenson did not see what Dr. Finley took from the inflamed place on Burch's knee he afterwards saw a thorn which Dr. Finley showed Deputy Sheriff Sprankling.

In cross-examination, Mr. Schenck brought out a few minor facts that apparently were in conflict with the previous testimony of Dr. Finley and Mr. Sprankling.

ATTACKS EVIDENCE.

Folowing this, Mr. Schenck made several motions on behalf of the defendant to strike from the record various parts of the State's testimony and several of the exhibits. Among the parts of the evidence attacked were the following:

All things said by other persons outside the presence of Burch as being heresay in that they were in nowise connected up with the defendant.

The testimony of Mary A. Bailiff who related several conversations she said she had with Mrs. Obenchain.

Virtually all the telegrams and letters sent and received by persons other than Burch.

The two shotgun shells on the grounds that no proper foundation was laid and that they were not connected with the crime.

The testimony of J. D. Kennedy, father of the slain youth, relating to conversations he held with his son and Mrs. Obenchain in 1919.

Judge Reeve denied each motion of the defense attorney.

Mr. Schenck then made a novel proposition to the court regarding the proposed insanity defense. He stated that since at least one week would be required to present the testimony of witnesses on points other than the insanity phase and that the latter matter would require two weeks he offered the following plan to speed up the trial:

To have Judge Reeve select three expert alienists from those subpoenaed by the defense and a like number of prosecution experts and for Judge Reeve to appoint a seventh expert. This board of alienists would listen to the facts for the defense and for the State and render an opinion to the court, both sides to abide by this opinion rather than to go through the regular way of presenting each expert as an individual witness.

Mr. Keyes objected to this plan and declared the prosecution had presented its case and is ready for the defense to bring forth its witnesses in the regular way.

BLOW TO DEFENSE.

The testimony of Mrs. R. B. Withrow, colored seeress, who told of asserted conversations she had with Mrs. Obenchain and with her and Mr. Kennedy, was also attacked in a motion by the defense to strike it from the records. This motion was denied.

Mrs. Rowena Wright, 1236 Crenshaw Boulevard, was the second defense witness. She said she is familiar with conditions in the Beverly Glen near the Kennedy cabin and that it grows dark there probably forty-five minutes earlier that outside the canyon. Mr. Hartzell testified substantially the same on that point and added that it was about "three-quarters" dark at 9 o'clock on the night of the murder.

Chester A. Hanson, reporter on an afternoon newspaper, was called for the purpose of laying a foundation to impeach the testimony of Mr. Summar.

Mr. Hanson declared that Mr. Summar told him in the latter part of September that he could not be sure of the man in the car, but that he knew the automobile was a Dodge roadster. While testifying for the State Mr. Summar stated he positively identified Burch as the man he saw.

PRISONER SPEEDED AWAY.

Before a writ of habeas corpus could be served on local authorities, officers from Detroit left last night for San Bernardino with Theodore B. McCreedy and by this morning are expected to be on their way East with their prisoner. McCreedy was arrested by Detectives Contreras and Hunter of the District Attorney's office and questioned regarding the case, and the message from Detroit prevented his release.

It was thought a writ would be served on the officers, so they left last night with the prisoner.

MRS. TOWNSLEY SAILS.

Former Otis Institute Director's Widow to Live in New York.

Mrs. C. P. Townsley, widow of C. P. Townsley, former director of the Otis Art Institute, started from London Saturday for New York, according to a cablegram received yesterday by her niece, Mrs. L. W. Davy, 7225 Moneta avenue.

The message stated that Mr. Townsley's body had been cremated in London. He died very suddenly, according to the message. Mr. Townsley complained of feeling ill one evening and passed away the following morning. Death was due to heart trouble. Mr. Townsley and his wife had intended to stay abroad some time and had about completed plans for conducting an art class in Holland and Belgium this summer.

Mrs. Townsley will make her home with her daughter, Mrs. Philip Brown, in New York, Mrs. Davy said.

CONDEMNED ORANGES DESTROYED BY ORDER

Because a carload of oranges did not meet the 8-to-1 test prescribed by the State Bureau of Standardization, 30 per cent of a carload from Tulare county was ordered destroyed by the county Horticultural Commissioner's office yesterday. Oranges must display at least 25 per cent of color, and have at least eight parts of soluble solid to one part acid. This is the first shipment of oranges to fall under the law.

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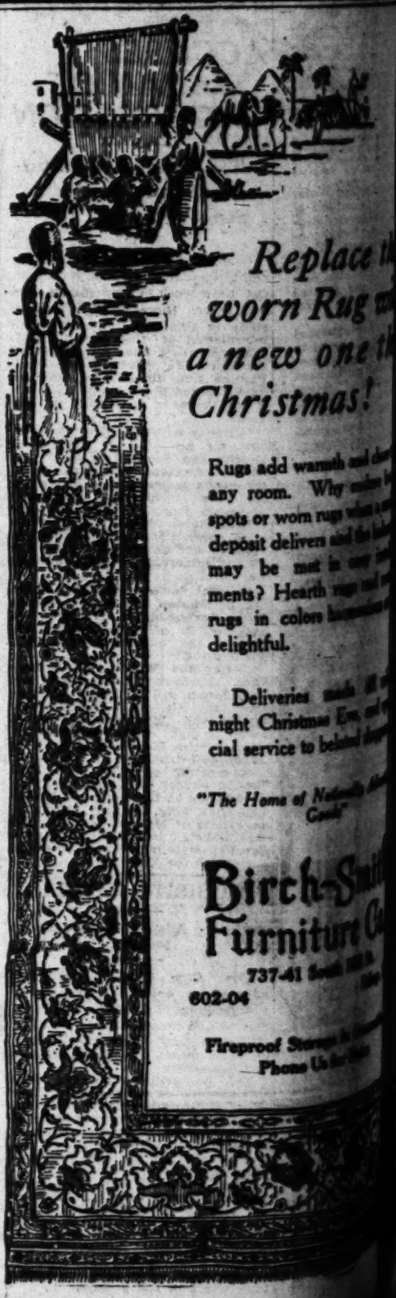

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"The constitutional, statutory and treaty provisions involved in this action were considered at length by Circuit Judge W. B. Gilbert and District Judges Cushman and Neterer in the recent case of Terrace, upon an application for a temporary injunction to restrain the Attorney-General of the State of Washington from enforcing a statute of the same general character as the law of California now under consideration.

"The plaintiffs in that case advanced, urged and argued practically the same contentions that are made by plaintiffs here, all of which were rejected by the court. As we fully agree with the reasoning and conclusions of the Terrace case, it is unnecessary for us to restate them or to go over them in detail. It is urged, however, that this case differs from the Terrace case in that the Washington law excludes only such aliens as are ineligible to citizenship and that the designation of this limited class is arbitrary, unreasonable, unwarranted, and, therefore, invalid.

"Or as stated by counsel, the Legislature cannot take what might be termed a natural class of persons (i.e., aliens,) split that class in two and then arbitrarily designate the dissevered fragments of the original unit as two classes, and thereupon enact rules for the government of each. As a matter of fact, however, the Washington law does split up the natural class of person (aliens) into aliens who have and aliens who have not declared their intention to become citizens of the United States and enacted different rules for the government of each in that the former may and the latter may not own land."

SHRINERS SEEK MORE AID FOR POOR.

The Shriners' Christmas relief committee, 725 South Spring street, is sending out a request for donations to be given to babies and mothers in the homes of the poor. Blankets and clothes for the babies and mothers are especially needed.

There are many little girls and boys, too, who are dependent upon the red-fezzed Santa Claus for their bit of Christmas cheer. Letters from several hundreds of families are still in the hands of the Shriners' Christmas relief committee, and unless the big hearted men and women of Los Angeles rally to the aid of the committee with donations of food, clothing and cash, there will be many a deserving home without cheer on Christmas Day.

Yesterday Mrs. C. A. Eichhorn, in charge of the Shriners' relief headquarters, reported that several hundred cases remain to be taken care of, with neither food, clothing nor cash on hand for this purpose.

"The situation is serious," said Mrs. Eichhorn yesterday. "We need serviceable second-hand clothes for men, women and children; we need bedding and furniture, we need food and cash for coal, and we need shoes and stockings and toys for the children.

"Donations this year have far from covered the many calls received by the Shriners for aid, and each day brings in more letters and additional appeals. Telephone 13131 and the Shriners' truck will call for your donations."

Rehearing is Asked in Plaza Terminal Case

Excepting to an order of the State Railroad Commission on constitutional grounds, the Southern Pacific Railway yesterday petitioned the commission for a rehearing of the Plaza union terminal case, which was recently decided against the Southern Pacific, Salt Lake and Santa Fe Railways.

The Southern Pacific contests the order on the ground that the commission exceeded its powers in ordering a union passenger terminal built at the Plaza. The carriers contend such authority is vested only in the Interstate Commerce Commission.

The three railroads in question asked for a rehearing last spring, but the commission stood firm on its original order. According to reports, if the Southern Pacific's request for a rehearing is refused, the steam roads will sue for a writ of review in the Supreme Court.

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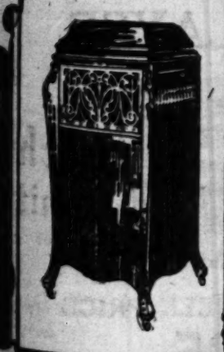

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So much Christmas shopping and housework these days and always the children's lunches. But the lunches will soon be out of the way if you have a can of CATALINA BRAND TUNA on hand. It is so convenient and easy to use for sandwiches. Most children would rather have tuna than chicken and it is good, wholesome food—much better for children than meat.

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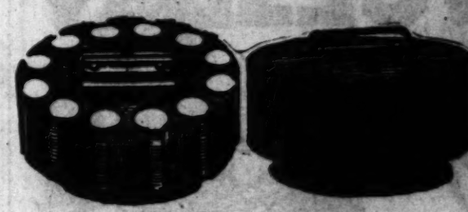

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A Box of Fine Stationery with a good Fountain Pen

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PHONE SERVICE WORRIES SHOWN

Club Women See Hows and Whys of the Work.

Operators Demonstrate Task of Getting Numbers.

Council for Better Films is Organized Here.

BY MYRA NYE.

"Hello, central."

"Number, please?"

A bargaining woman lately from Europe takes down the receiver and central responds with "Number, please?"

"Well what number have you got?" is the startling reply.

How these and similar conversations over the wire cause confusion in the office of the telephone company was demonstrated at the Woman's City Club yesterday when a glimpse into the inner operations of the offices was given with switchboards, bells and instruments for stage properties and a group of operators for actors.

GIVE DEMONSTRATION.

Miss M. McDonald, instructor of telephone operators, showed exactly how a call is received, transmitted from operator A to B, then to the receiving telephone. The girls with the utmost courtesy put in their calls and with the utmost courtesy receive1 and send them on. In fact so ultra was the courtesy that it caused many laughs.

"Why is it," asked a member from the floor, "that we have more trouble with our phones on a rainy day than any other time?"

"Water gets in the cable and terminal boxes and last but not least of all rainy day troubles are the kite strings of boys that make short circuits all over the city when it begins to rain. The kites caught on the wire may do no harm until wet, but wet kites can cause thousands of dollars worth of damage in one hour," was the reply.

MANY QUESTIONS.

"What do you call inadequate service?" "Will you give 5 cents back for every call we put in and can get no answer when the party whom we call is there?" "Why are you raising the rates next month when the contract called for no raise when the companies merged?" "Why do we get wrong numbers and why do we hear people talking on a single party line?" These and a score more questions were answered patiently by the heads of departments in the company who had come to demonstrate.

From the motion pictures that illustrated the program was gleamed the interesting item that Los Angeles had a telephone system in less than one year after the first one in the country was established in Boston, that 100,000 telephones have been put in since Armistice Day, that there are 2000 operators in the city, twenty-nine central offices and an average of 1,000,000 calls a day.

There will be no meeting of the club until January 9, Mrs. J. B. Stearns, president of the club, announced. On that date, Mrs. A. S. Lobingier, first president of the club, and Miss Christabel Pankhurst, celebrated feminist, will be the honor guests and speakers. This will be the only social function of the club for the year. Christopher Gage will lead in community singing and the Jameson Quartet will give musical numbers.

FOR BETTER FILMS.

Organized yesterday by a group of club women in the Walker Theater Building, the Los Angeles Cooperative Council for Better Films elected officers and adopted constitution and by-laws.

Mrs. Charles Holland, chairman of motion pictures for the Los Angeles District Federation of Women's Clubs, presided, with Mrs. Bruce Cass serving as temporary secretary. Mrs. Charles McKelvey, parliamentarian for the district, acted as the chairman of the constitution and by-laws committee and presented the rules to the group of women, which was small on account of the rain and the nearness to Christmas.

Mrs. Fred Kuck of the West Ebell Club was elected president; Mrs. Holland, first vice-president; Mrs. Arthur C. Wier of the Friday Morning Club, second vice-president, and Mrs. Mab Copeland Lineman of the Woman Lawyers' Club, secretary. The election of a treasurer was left until a later date.

The object of the organization as stated yesterday is to promote wholesome and instructive motion pictures and to create a popular demand for such films through cooperation with producers, distributors and exhibitors.

Efficient Housekeeping

BY Laura A. Kirkman

TWO CHAFING-DISH SUPPERS.

The following chafing-dish menus are suitable to serve either after the theater when a "bite" to eat is almost a necessity, or in place of the conventional "Sunday night tea:"

Creamed Oysters.
Olive-Cheese Sandwiches.
Celery-Date-Orange Salad.
Coffee. Chocolate Cake.

Creamed Oysters: The oysters must previously have been steamed in the top of a double boiler for thirty minutes. They will stand (having been cooled after steaming) on the chafing-dish tray, each oyster cut into four pieces. Heat the chafing dish and put into it 2 tablespoons of butter; when melted rub into the butter 2 tablespoons of flour, then add 1 cup of milk or cream. Add a dash each of pepper and mace and remove the blazer from the heat a moment to cool slightly, then add the beaten yolks of 2 eggs, stir vigorously, and put the blazer back over the heat. Continue to stir until thick, then add the steamed oysters, let cook until they are heated through and serve the mixture on buttered rounds of toast.

Olive-Cheese Sandwiches: To make these simply put stuffed olives through the food chopper and rub the chopped olives into cream cheese. Add as much of this olive flavoring as you like, then season, also to taste, with salt and pepper. Spread on crustless slices of bread.

Celery-Date-Orange Salad: Clean and dice 2 stalks of celery. Remove the stones from 2 cups of dates and put the dates through the food chopper. Peel 6 oranges, divide the pulp-sections, remove seeds and cut these sections into small pieces, discarding the white fibers. Now mix these three ingredients thoroughly (letting the orange juice moisten them) and pile the mixture on individual plates, topping each portion with mayonnaise.

Welsh Rarebit.
Tartare Sandwiches.
Coffee. Sponge Cake.
Nuts.

Welsh Rarebit: 2 cups cheese, either diced or put through the food chopper, 2 eggs, 3 tablespoons flour, 1 tablespoon butter, 1 teaspoon salt, a dash of pepper, 1-8 teaspoon dry mustard, dash of paprika, 2 cups of sweet milk. Mix the ingredients together in the order given and cook gently over hot water, stirring constantly until thick and smooth. Serve very hot on toast or unsweetened crackers.

Tartare Sandwiches: 1 teaspoon each of capers, mixed pickles, olives, chives or a bit of onion, and 1 teaspoon each of vinegar and lemon juice; mix these ingredients well, then add a dash each of dry mustard, red pepper and paprika, stir again, and spread on thin, crustless slices of buttered white bread. If desired, a lettuce leaf dipped in French salad dressing may be put between each two slices of a sandwich.

All inquiries addressed to Miss Kirkman, in care of the "Efficient Housekeeping" department, will be answered in these columns in their turn. This requires considerable time, however, owing to the great number received. So if a personal or quicker reply is desired, a stamped and self-addressed envelope must be inclosed with the question.—The Editor.

TUESDAY
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Fish day

Make Fish a part of your regular diet.

Fish on Tuesday! Yes, and on any other day. It is not so much a question of when, but how often you eat fish.

Fish is a most delicious and healthy food, economical and easily prepared.

Do not set aside Friday as an exclusive fish day, but substitute it for the heavier foods on other days.

State Fish Exchange

TO BROIL FISH

Salt the fish, place on greased broiler, flesh side toward fire. Done, turn and brown skin side. Serve with chopped parsley and butter or with teaspoonful butter, teaspoonful parsley, juice of half lemon, salt, paprika blended together.

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SOCIETY.

BY VIRGINIA WOODS.

Mr. and Mrs. Doheny Returning.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Laurence Doheny are leaving New York this morning and will arrive in Los Angeles in time for the Christmas and New Year's festivities. They plan to remain here several weeks. They had planned coming earlier, but Mrs. Doheny recently broke her foot and the pain was too great to attempt the long journey.

On Christmas Day, Mr. and Mrs. Doheny will give a big family dinner party with a Christmas tree for Lucy Estelle, Edward Laurence III and William Henry Doheny, children of E. L. Doheny, Jr. Mr. and Mrs. J. Crampton Anderson and Mrs. Doheny's mother, Mrs. J. Edward Betzold, will be in the party.

At Family Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. William J. Bettingen of Oak Knoll are to entertain with a family dinner party on Christmas Day and will also have a Christmas tree.

On Christmas Eve.

Miss Louise Ruwe is arranging a tea for the day before Christmas in honor of Miss Virginia Deardorff, who is home from the University of California, and for Miss Rosalie Kerlevy, a student at Mills College, who is home for the holidays. The affair will be held at the home of Miss Ruwe's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ruwe of Beverly Hills.

Miss Dorothy Cooke will preside at the coffee urn, while Miss Ruth Bardsley will serve ices. Misses Allene Davies, Katherine Kirker, Ruth Chapman, Catherine Curran, Carolyn Mitchell, Virginia Haugh, Genevieve Conness and Catherine Wahlstrom will assist.

There are to be sixty guests. Holly, mistletoe and poinsettias are to be used in the decorations.

Dinner Preceding Dance.

Miss Helen Worthington of South Kingsley Drive is giving a dinner this evening for a company of sixteen, preceding the dancing party at which Miss Ruth Bardsley is to entertain.

In the coterie will be Mr. and Mrs. Herbert McGaffey (Nanette Francisco,) Mr. and Mrs. Theron Young, Misses Ruth Bardsley, Betty Boyle, Lois Finnegan, Marjorie Hamlin, Helen Iten and Messrs. Ormonde Flood, Cleveland Schallets, Lloyd Cole, Harold O'Rourke, Emmett McConnell and John Off.

Wedding Anniversary.

Dr. and Mrs. A. C. Ewing entertained at dinner yesterday in celebration of their thirty-second wedding anniversary.

Returning from College.

Miss Dorothy Keefe, who is attending school at Ogonts College, Bydal, Pa., is returning home today to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry C. Keefe of 629 Lucerne Boulevard. She will be here several weeks. Miss Keefe was graduated at Marlborough last June.

At Dancing Party.

Misses Eloise and Marjorie Lysle are among those planning to entertain at a big dancing party and supper during the holidays. Their party is to be on the 28th inst., at their home near Alhambra.

Mr. and Mrs. Guasti.

Mr. and Mrs. Secondo Guasti, who have been in New York several weeks since their return from an extensive tour of Europe, will arrive on Thursday.

Returning from College.

Homer Laughlin III is coming home from the Montezuma Ranch School at Los Gatos on Thursday to remain throughout the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Laughlin, Jr., who are to entertain with a Christmas dinner for eighteen.

In New Home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Kavanagh and their daughter, Miss Doreen Kavanagh, have just moved into their new home at 620 South Manhattan Place.

In the East.

Mrs. Henry Clay Gooding and daughter, Miss Gertrude Gooding, who have been in the East since October, are now in Bloomfield, N. J., where they will spend the Christmas holidays with Mrs. Gooding's brother, William S. Babcock. Before they return early next May they will visit in Washington, D. C., and Norfolk, Va., and will spend a month or two in New York City. They will stop in Chicago for a week on their way home. They have already visited friends in Kansas City, St. Louis and their old home in Indianapolis.

For a Bride.

One of the pretty courtesies arranged for Mrs. Durwood Howes, Jr. (Maxine Eccleston,) was the bridge tea given by Mrs. Dallas Earle Speers of South Pasadena. At the bridge tables were Mmes. William Cottle, Fred High, Raymond Smith (Helen Lehman,) Roy Pearson, George McLaughlin, Harold Myers, Harold Rhodes, John Stebbins, Don Albright, Rupert Reinsch, Leon Edgcomb, Misses Irene Brauer, Marjorie Miller, Elizabeth Lytle and Dorothy Rogers.

Mr. and Mrs. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Williams are to preside at a dinner tomorrow evening at the Hotel Maryland in Pasadena.

The Daily Fun Hour.

BY HONOR WALSH.

SYLVESTER NIGHT FROLIC.

For "Sylvester Night" or "Watch Night," as New Year's Eve has been called from time out of mind, frolicsome parties are in order. If a dance has been planned there should be at least six couples; seven would be better, or, altogether, fourteen participants. These are given names and symbols: January, a calendar; February, a valentine heart; March, an Irish harp; April, a fool's cap; May, a small Maypole; June, a rose; July, an American flag; August, a sheaf of wheat or a tiny watermelon; September, a school book; October, a little pumpkin Jack o'Lantern; November, a toy Thanksgiving turkey; December, a spray of holly; the Old Year, a tag, "Farewell, 1921," and the New Year a label, "Welcome, 1922!" If there are more than fourteen in the party additional days can be assigned to them, with suitable emblems; Washington's Birthday, a little hatchet; the Vernal Equinox, a violet; Easter, a lily; Memorial Day, blue and gray ribbons; Labor Day, a square paper cap; Election Day, a miniature ballot box; Columbus Day, a tiny ship; Armistice Day, a little dove, etc.

The dates so symbolized are written on cards, and placed in two boxes, one box for the men's dates, the other for the girls'. The men draw their partners for the first dance from the box of girls' dates, and later in the evening each of the girls draws a card from the men's box and reads it aloud, when the man who personifies that date comes to claim her for a supper partner.

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ROBBED BOARDING CAR.

Pickpocket Steals Mohave Man's Purse and Money.

A pickpocket yesterday afternoon robbed C. A. Fuller of Mohave of his purse and $395 in cash while he was boarding a street car at Fifth street and Broadway.

Mr. Fuller, in his report to the police, said he was crowded by a young man carrying an umbrella as he stepped on the car. Almost at the same time he discovered the loss of his purse and money.

Fashions Forecast

By Annabel Worthington

LADIES' AND MISSES' DRESS.

This particularly smart model combines simplicity with good taste. The surplice fronts of the waist are bound with braid and are draped softly to the back, terminating in a sash. A novel effect is produced by the triple collar.

The ladies' and misses' dress is cut in sizes 16 and 18 years, 36 to 44 inches bust measure. Size 36

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requires 4¼ yards 36-inch material, with 1½ yards 18-inch contrasting. Price 15 cents.

The Fall and Winter issue of the Fashion Magazine is now ready. It contains over 300 styles, several dressmaking lessons, &c., and is undoubtedly a book which every woman who wants to dress well and wants to see her family well dressed should have. Price 10 cents a copy.

No patterns are kept in the Los Angeles office of The Times. To get patterns send the price, in stamps or well-wrapped coins, and the number and size of the patterns desired to this address:

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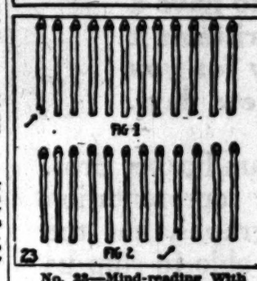
All orders will be handled by this branch office in Chicago and in order to eliminate the delay in forwarding we have arranged to have orders sent direct to the Chicago office.

After-Dinner Tricks.



No. 23—Mind-reading With Matches.

A dozen matches are laid in a row, and any one is asked to move as many as he desires from the left to the right, while the performer's back is turned. When this has been done he glances at the matches and names the number moved.

In arranging the matches the performer looks for a match which is slightly different from the others in color or shape of head. If he does not see such a match he secretly nicks the bottom of one with his thumbnail. This match is placed at the left of the line, and as the matches are moved one by one to the right, he has only to look for the known match and count the number it lies from the right, which will be the number moved.

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ADMITS HE ROBBED FOUR HOTELS HERE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

ST. LOUIS (Mo.) Dec. 19.—A man arrested today, who says he is William G. O.Neil, confessed, according to police, to eight hold-ups and robberies in this vicinity, and a number of robberies in San Diego, Venice, Los Angeles and Albuquerque, N. M.

O'Neil, said, according to police, that he robbed a room in a hotel in San Diego of several articles of clothing and a revolver, that he took various articles in four hotels and rooming-houses in Los Angeles, that he looted an apartment at Venice, and that he robbed a man of $44 in Albuquerque.

MAY STILL TRY FOR FORCE.

Secretary King, of the City Civil Service Commission, announces that, despite the fact that more than 400 applications have been filed with the commission by candidates for the forthcoming policeman's examination, intending applicants may qualify up to the date of examination, the 30th inst.

The physical requirements are for men 5ft. 9in. in height or over, the minimum weight being 150 pounds. The age limit is from 23 to 35 years. Preference is given applicants who are ex-service men. Regarding these the residence provision, one year, is waived.

FOR MANUAL ARTS ALUMNI.

The annual homecoming day of the Manual Arts High School alumni will take place Wednesday, January 4, instead of tomorrow as was originally announced.

CHANCE FOR BARGAINS.

Police to Conduct Auction Sale of Unclaimed Property.

Two automobiles, scores of bicycles, jewelry, suit cases and grips and many other articles collected by the police and held unclaimed the past six months will go under the hammer Saturday at the Central Police Station. Sales will be made for cash only.

According to Property Clerk Matuskiwiz, who will conduct the auction, over $1000 worth of property will be sold. All suit cases to go under the hammer, according to Mr. Matuskiwiz, will be sold unopened. They may possibly contain valuables—and then again they may not.

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KEEP FIRE FROM SANTA'S BEARD.

Chief Scott Warns Against Use of Candles on Christmas Tree.

Strictly fireproof Santa Clauses are recommended by Chief Scott, who yesterday issued a list of "don'ts" for Christmas celebrators. Impersonators of Santa Claus, the chief stated, should avoid long cotton whiskers, and fire-proof their costumes with a mixture of carbonate of soda, ammonia carbonate, boric acid and water, so as to avoid causing a fire. Christmas trees should not be illuminated with candles, the chief urges, and ornaments should not be made of paper or other inflammable materials.

INVOLVED CASE DECIDED.

Six hundred pages of transcript and the arguments of twenty lawyers were condensed in a brief opinion rendered by the State Supreme Court yesterday, affirming the judgment of the Superior Court on the appeal of W. H. Wheat, Emma C. Satterlee and John and Cora M. Potter, denying them equitable relief. The suit as originally filed was against the Big Pine Lime and Transportation Company. The record was voluminous and filled with intricate pleadings and arguments.

On March 1, 1912, the Lone Pine Company issued bonds in the sum of $100,000, that are yet outstanding, and secured the issue by a deed of trust. On Aug. 20, 1914, the property was transferred to the Big Pine Lime and Transportation Company, subject to a trust deed executed to the Los Angeles Abstract and Trust Company, to secure the bond issue of $100,000. All right and title of the transportation company to the lime claims were later sold on a judgment secured by Frank Rickerahauser for $9760.60.

W. H. Wheat, Emma C. Satterlee and John and Cora M. Potter were the holders of some of the bonds issued by the Lone Pine Company. They asserted they were entitled to relief under the sale by the Sheriff of Los Angeles county. The Supreme Court held, however, that the judgment of the lower court denying them such relief was correct in law.

Mrs. Belle Heil Freed by Court on State's Plea.

Stating that he did not believe there was sufficient evidence to convict Mrs. Belle Heil, widow of a Chicago business man, of burglary of the residence of Sam Wood, a cinema director, of 4555 Elmwood avenue, because of her mental condition, Dep. Dist. Atty. Fitts yesterday filed a motion to dismiss the case. Justice Forbes, after hearing a statement of the case, dismissed the action.

Mrs. Heil, herself possessed of an income, was accused of obtaining a position in the home and then committing burglary. Her attorney, N. K. Kendall, stated that he intended to take action to have a guardian appointed for her.

FIRE DAMAGES HOME.

Fire believed to have started from defective wiring last night caused $1000 damage to the residence of Mrs. J. P. Thorne, 659 South Workman street.

Hold Bloodless Bullfight Chief in Money Fight

Embezzlement of $400 of the funds of the Bloodless Bullfight Corporation is charged against Felipe A. Armenta, president of the organization, in a complaint issued yesterday. Armenta was arrested by Deputy Constable Adams and taken before Justice Hanby for arraignment.

The company was organized to hold bloodless bullfights at a beach resort, it is stated. Armenta has been a resident of Los Angeles for twenty-seven years. He declared yesterday that the issuance of the complaint is a mistake, and that he will be able to explain his transactions.

Thomas Hye, who has an interest in the company, appeared as complaining witness. The defendant was allowed to go on his own recognizance until next Friday, the date set for his hearing.

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DRILLING PERMITTED.

Council Repeals Ban at Boyle Heights.

Over the protests of Boyle Heights residents, the City Council yesterday agreed by a 7-to-2 vote to permit the drilling of oil wells in the Prospect Park district. Councilmen Mallard and Sanborn cast the negative votes against the adoption of the Public Welfare Committee's report recommending that the ordinance prohibiting the drilling of oil wells within 2000 feet of Prospect Park be repealed.

F. P. Hoard originally applied for the revocation, so as to permit him to drill for oil on Brooklyn avenue near the Pacific Electric's right-of-way. Residents of Boyle Heights in protesting against the letting down of the bars against oil wells declared that plans are already being made to open a number of oil wells in the district which they said would destroy the neighborhood for residences. Councilman Mallard spoke in opposition to the revocation of the ordinance, saying that Los Angeles was a city and not an oil field.

world as a whole today is unhappy; never more so in all its history. If one were disposed to indulge in it, here would be an exceptionally tempting opportunity to satirise material prosperity. Prosperity and happiness, happiness and prosperity, as we all know, are almost invariably coupled in human thought and conversation. Humanity in general thinks of happiness as something largely if not wholly dependent upon, or certainly as a companion of, prosperity. In the opinion of the world, to be prosperous mean to be happy.

MATERIALISM FACTS.

"Never has materialism had its way more completely than in the last seven years. For years it had been impatiently awaiting the day when it would prove itself the greatest force on the globe. The opportunity coming at last, it proved only one thing; its ability to destroy. It upset the world. It halted progress, it stopped production, it unsettled the thoughts of men; it wrought havoc and scattered wreckage wherever its power or influence was felt. The world is still staggering from it thunderous explosions.

"Outside of Christian Science, practically all are looking in a wrong direction for an acceptable and satisfying arrangement of the differences that are disturbing the world. It is generally hoped that by appealing to the individual and collective selfishness of men a basis of settlement may be found through territorial gifts, through some amelioration of indemnities, through resumption of trade relations, through preferential tariffs, or, when these, or any of them, fail of effect, through some kind of pressure. The thought of bringing about an understanding on a basis of god will, of unselfishness, of forgiveness and forgetfulness, of brotherliness, of the golden rule, of the Christly injunction that 'ye love one another,' is submerged by the false and foolish belief that behind every international treaty all the ancient geographical, racial, tribal, political and religious bigotries, prejudices and bitternesses must be preserved to meet possible or impossible emergencies.

"Mary Baker Eddy, if the leaders of the peoples of the earth would see it, as some day they must and shall, has long since made clear the basis upon which world harmony can be secured; namely, through the understanding of the one great and only God, whereby the destruction of all false gods may be brought about.

A BLESSING TO ALL.

"There is no more efficacious agency than Christian Science for the promotion of better taste, higher aspirations and good will among all people. It is the most tranquilizing influence operating throughout the world today. Its doctrines have already transformed for the better the aspiration and character of millions of people in all parts of the globe, and every one of these is spreading its truth, expressing his gratitude, not so much by word of mouth, nor by indulging in religious controversy, as by letting his light shine.

PARAMOUNT MISSION.

"It must never be lost sight of that Christian Science is engaged first and last in the task of restoring to the world the word and perpetuating the works given and carried on by Christ Jesus, and that its grandest mission and its greatest joy is to restore primitive Christianity and to perpetuate those works as the Master Himself, were He once more among us, would direct. He came with healing in His thought, with healing in His voice, with healing in His touch. He went around everywhere doing good. Christian Scientists make no stronger pretentions of belief in the Bible than do other professed Christians, but Christian Scientists go farther than mere belief; they trust, and strive to understand.

"Christian Science is not blind faith; it is an intelligent understanding of God and of man's relationship to the Supreme Being, the omnipresent, omniscient and omnipotent Creator. It is an understanding of God which admits of no limitation, question or doubt with regard to His all-seeing wisdom, His all-inclusive power, His all-embracing love. It is complete acceptance of the father-motherhood of the eternal. It is an absolute acknowledgment that the God of our Bible reigns, governs, controls the universe, and that there is none other beside Him.

"If the thoughts of humanity were in harmony with the Divine Mind, with the commandments, with the beatitudes, with the prophets, with the teachings of Christ Jesus and his disciples, with the principle of Christian Science, as revealed through and expounded and taught by Mary Baker Eddy, the world would be freed from ferment, confusion and tumult."

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THE ENTERPRISING PHOTOGRAPHER WHO OBTAINED THIS [illegible] NATURALLY DOES NOT APPEAR IN THE PICTURE, BUT THE [illegible] EFFORTS TO GET A "GOOD SHOT" VASTLY AMUSED [illegible] AND SOMEWHAT ASTONISHED THE SUSSEX COUNTY [illegible]

PRESIDENT HARDING, HEAD OF THE NATIONAL RED CROSS, JUDGE JOHN BARTON PAYNE, CHAIRMAN OF THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE, AND MISS MABEL BEARDMAN, NATIONAL SECRETARY, AT THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE ORGANIZATION IN WASHINGTON.

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H. M. S. Pinafore, the sturdy old flagship of the operatic fleet, made port last night at the Philharmonic Auditorium with all hands aboard after weathering a stormy sea.

The good ship Pinafore was launched by the California Opera Company for the benefit of Los Angeles Post, No. 8, American Legion, and will be at anchor for the remainder of the week. Its revival was acclaimed a success, despite the wrath of the storm gods, by the crowd that witnessed the opening performance last night.

It was the same old H. M. S. Pinafore that first won the hearts of theatergoers many years ago, aside from the few variations—the boxing match and a few injections of slap-stick film comedy—only the voices were new.

BOUT STARTS CRUISE.

A three-round bout sent the H. M. S. Pinafore merrily on its way. After the favorite Gilbert and Sullivan comic opera was earnestly rolling on its course, a few of the popular players of the original production were seen in the cast—Marie Morgan as Little Buttercup, James Donnely as Dick Dead Eye.

Clyde Cook played the role of Sir Joseph Porter, master of the Queen's navy. As Mr. Cook is a pantomime actor of silent comedy, he had a double last night to do his singing—James McIlhern. Others in the cast deserving of mention are Earl Meeker as Capt. Corcoran, Max Alexander as Ralph Rackstraw, George Walker as Bill Bobstay, Marjorie Maughlin and Lucille Rickson as Tom Tucker, and Tom Bowlin, Reginald Dupuy as Bob Backet, Merrill La Velle as the sergeant of marines, Hazel Eden and Melba Barr, both playing the role of Josephine; Anita Finke as Hebe, Gladdie MacDonald as the Quakeress aunt.

SPECIAL FEATURES.

During the first act those appearing in special features were Clyde Cook, Al St. John in bicycle stunts, the band of the U.S.S. Arizona and the two champion boxers from the Arizona, and Marjorie Maughlin, who danced a hornpipe.

SONG DEDICATED.

At the opening of the second act the new American Legion song composed by Carrie Jacobs-Bond and published in last Sunday's Times, was dedicated by H. O. Wheeler, retiring commander of Los Angeles Post, No. 8, American Legion, and M. B. Silberberg, the newly elected commander of the post.

Other features were the California Girls' Quartet, a parade of cinema stars across the deck and a close-order drill by marines from the Arizona.

The performance, with different bands and crews from ships of the Pacific Fleet appearing every night, will be repeated every night this week. William G. Stewart is the production director. Wendell Heighton is the manager. The production is given under the general supervision of L. E. Behymer, Wendell Heighton, Sid Grauman and W. G. Stewart. It has received the co-operation of the Navy Department.

Ex-Court Clerk Held at Beach as Embezzler.

Jesse B. Bordeaux, formerly a clerk in the Federal Court in New York, is in the City Jail at Long Beach, where he confessed last night, according to the police, to having embezzled more than $3000 of the court's funds.

Bordeaux, who is 28 years of age, has lived in Long Beach for the last three months, where he has been known as Jeane C. Roberts. He lived at 531 Melrose Court in the beach town and was engaged in the real estate and investment business. At the time of his arrest he had 67 cents, according to the police.

The arrest was made through the efforts of Robert E. Ferguson, Federal agent, and Bordeaux is held in the Long Beach Jail awaiting word from the authorities in New York.

OIL COMPANY WINS SUIT OVER LEASE.

APPELLATE COURT UPHOLDS DECISION IN ACTION ON NORTHERN LAND.

Department No. 2, District Court of Appeal, yesterday affirmed the decision of the Superior Court in favor of the Submarine Oil Company in the suit brought by Agnes S. Booker, as administratrix of the estate of Henry L. Williams, involving the lease of certain supposed oil lands in Santa Barbara county.

The defendant corporation leased the land from Mr. Williams in 1908 for a period of ten years, with a proviso that the lease might be renewed for an additional period of ten years, if such action was desired by the lessees. The compensation for the use of the land for the exploitation of oil was to be royalties.

It was in evidence that the company had spent $100,000 trying to develop oil, but that the quantity was not sufficient to warrant any extensive operations. When it came to renewing the lease for another ten years objection was raised that to allow a second lease would operate as a lease in perpetuity, which is not legal under the law. The District Court of Appeal held that there was nothing in the lease to forbid its renewal if the lessee desired the land for an additional ten years.

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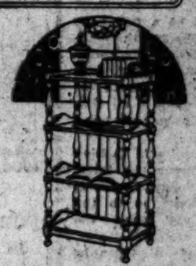

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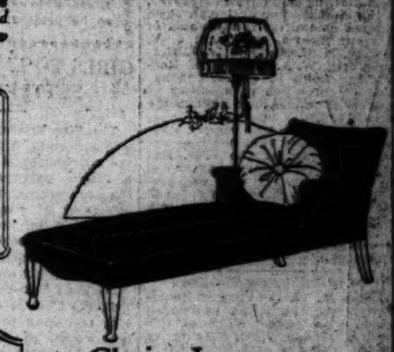

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SOLDIERS' CEMETERY LOT ASKED

Women's Clubs to Seek Private Plot to Bury All ex-Service Men.

To formulate plans for the purchase of a permanent American Legion plot in the Forest Lawn Memorial Park, committees from every woman's club in Los Angeles will meet on the morning of January 4 at the headquarters of American Legion Post No. 54, it was announced yesterday.

"The ire of the local club women has been raised by the recent attempt to bury a soldier in an obscure and unkept grave," yesterday said Mrs. Hugh J. Crawford, who was appointed as chairman of a club women's committee to organize a campaign for funds.

"Our plan," said Mrs. Crawford, "is to give a respectable burial to every boy who has donned a uniform of the United States, no matter what his rank or creed.

"The occurrence recently brought to our attention by the Legion must never be repeated. There is no one who would deny the boys who fought for us a final resting place of beauty and I am sure that citizens of Los Angeles will come forward with unstinted support in this movement."

Chaplain Louis C. Dodelan has been named by the interpost council of the American Legion to cooperate in the plans for the campaign. The site for the American Legion burial plot has been selected in the Forest Lawn Memorial Park. It is planned to erect a monument, fashioned after the emblem of the Legion, on a hill overlooking the site. Societies of Allied nations will be asked to contribute statuary for each of the five points of the star. The cost of the pertetual plot in Forest Lawn with monuments and statuary, it is estimated, will be approximately $100,000.

LETTERS OF "TOMMY" FIGURE IN WILL CASE.

DAUGHTER SAYS MOTHER WAS INFLUENCED BY NEPHEW IN BEQUESTS.

The "Tommy" letters introduced by Attorneys Ford and Bodkin for Mrs. Jennie B. Doane, contesting the probate of the will of her mother, Mrs. Laura S. Hughes, are purported to have been written by R. W. Thompson, a nephew of Mrs. Hughes. In a letter to his aunt, "Tommy" said something about starving out Mrs. Doane. Another referred to Mrs. Doane selling out her shoe business in the north and coming to Los Angeles.

A photographic copy of a "Tommy" letter written to Mrs. Doane has been tacked to the blackboard in Judge Craig's court yesterday for the use of the jury. Mr. Thompson admitted he wrote some of the letters and denied that it was his signature to others.

In the Doane letter he wrote:

"If you did not break even in the sale, I would not say so to her (Mrs. Hughes,) as it may worry her. What if you don't break even there? Goodness, Agnes, look what you get down here to pay whatever small balance you may owe your creditors. Do they know that you are an heiress? You can truthfully pass as one for the proof is here to back it up. I think that you deserve it if it was for no other reason than your devotion to your father."

Mrs. Doane, it is said, faithfully looked after her blind father for many years. In her mother's will disposing of property worth $240,000, she was cut off with $20,000. Now she charges that Mr. Thompson influenced her mother against her.

I. N. Inskeep, handwriting expert, testified that all the "Tommy" signatures were written by the same person.

WAR VETERAN AVERS HE'S NOT CHEAP SKATE

AGED SOLDIER OFFERS TO PAY HALF PENSION TO WIFE, PENDING SUIT.

Declaring that he is no cheap skate, Charles Sense, a veteran of the Civil War, 76 years of age, told Judge Toland yesterday he will give his wife, Sarah E., $35 a month for her support out of his pension of $50 a month, pending the trial of his suit for divorce. The court awarded her $25 for January and $35 for March.

This is Mr. Sense's third matrimonial venture. He married his present wife July 10, 1919. They separated on the 6th inst.

Mr. Sense charges cruelty. He says his wife told others he wanted to get rid of her. He also charged that she locked her bedroom door against him.

"I gave her $60 worth of furniture when I married her," he said. "The rest of the furniture belongs to my children by a former marriage."

The court allowed Mr. Sense to retain his home, which is separate property. Attorneys Jones and Craig represent Mr. Sense.

Judge Toland commented that "women who marry these old soldiers ought to get along with them as nicely as possible."

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SELECT TICKET FOR DIRECTORS.

Merchants', Manufacturers' Association to Ballot.

Annual Banquet Plans Are Under Way.

President Rice to Review Work of Year.

The annual election of the directors of the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association will be held January 16 at the office, 1003 Van Nuys Building, from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m., it was announced yesterday.

The new directorate will elect new officers during the same week.

The following have been nominated to serve for the ensuing two years: W. E. Chamberlain of A. Hamburger & Sons, Archibald Douglas of Pacific Clay Products Company; A. L. Gude of Gude's Inc., Leo Jacoby of Jacoby Brothers, P. J. McDonald of Los Angeles Planing Mill Company, W. W. Mines of W. W. Mines & Co., W. E. Ross of Hawthorne Furniture Company, Seymour Swarts of the Great Western Smelting and Refining Company, and P. M. Young of Young's Market Company, Inc.

The nominating committee is composed of C. A. Bquoumun, chairman; R. W. Burnham, Louis Nordlinger, H. F. Stewart and Champ Vance.

The annual banquet will be held the following Monday, January 23, at the Ambassador at 7 p.m. The banquet committee is composed of Seymour Swarts, chairman; J. V. Balding, H. C. Fryman, W. I. Hollingsworth, W. A. Innes, V. H. Rossetti and Louis F. Vetter, and has tentative promises of speakers of national prominence to address the members.

President Rice will present a report of the work that has been accomplished during the year, and on general industrial conditions of the community. He also will present a plan for future activities of the association. The banquet will be formal. The reservations are already arriving at the office of the association and a large attendance is expected.

JUDGES EXCHANGED.

Judge M. W. Conkling of Imperial county yesterday exchanged courts with Judge Willis of this county. Judge Willis was in El Centro trying a case in which a newspaper of Imperial Valley was defendant in a suit growing out of a subscription contest.

GOOD MORNING, MR. SANTA CLAUS

Special "Times" Rotogravure Cover for the Children Christmas Day.

The Times' rotogravure section next Sunday will contain a beautiful cover entitled "Good Morning, Mr. Santa Claus," especially designed to please the children. Old Santa will be there with all his fixin's, surrounded by a group of happy tots who were fortunate enough to meet the benign old gentleman and tell him their special wants.

There will be a full page of photographs of the leading international statesmen and diplomats taking part in the Arms Conference at Washington, also a fine photograph of the conference in session.

Peggy Hamilton's fashion page will mirror the latest in feminine wearing apparel with a forecast as to the gowns that will mark the early spring season.

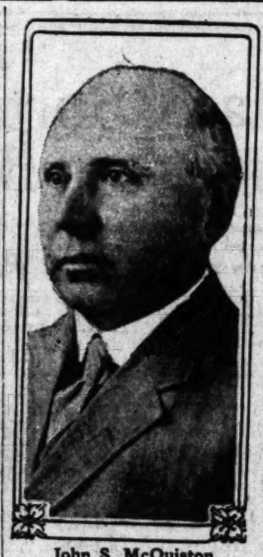
A group of photographs from the photographic salon being held at Exposition Park, in which art photographers from all over the world are represented, will be shown.

News photographs representing a wide variety of world-wide activities will also be printed.

GIRLS TO ENTERTAIN SETTLEMENT TOTS.

The Blue Triangle Club members will entertain fifty children from the neighborhood settlement with a dinner party and program at the club rooms, 631 South Spring streets at 6 p.m. today. Santa Claus will be present and there will be an illuminated Christmas tree from which he will distribute toys and candy among the kiddies.

During Christmas week the Blue Triangle Club is extending a general invitation to all young business women to use the club rooms in the preparation of their Christmas cards, the wrapping of gifts and for noon hour recreation.



John S. McQuiston.

FOR FUNERAL OF EFFICIENCY DIRECTOR

CITY OFFICIAL DIES ON EVE OF INSTALLATION AS LODGE MASTER.

Funeral services for John S. McQuiston, City Efficiency Director, who died suddenly early yesterday, will be conducted at 2 p.m. tomorrow in the chapel of George A. Fitch. The services will be in charge of Southern California Lodge, No. 278, F. and A. M., of which Mr. McQuiston had recently been elected Master, and in which office he was to have been installed December 28.

Burial probably will be in Forest Lawn Cemetery.

Mr. McQuiston's death came as a shock to his many friends at the City Hall, although he had complained since last Wednesday of not feeling well. He left his office Saturday afternoon and was taken seriously ill at his home, 425 Gower street, shortly after dinner Sunday. He became unconscious at midnight and died at 5 a.m. Death was due to cerebral hemorrhage. Mr. McQuiston leaves a widow and son, R. W. McQuiston of Azusa.

Mr. McQuiston, who was 61 years of age, was born in Saylorville, Iowa. He came to Los Angeles in 1912. From 1915 to 1918 he was Chief Deputy City Auditor. He was subsequently selected by the efficiency commission as City Efficiency Director. This commission, of which the Mayor, George I. Cochran and William Lacey are members, will appoint Mr. McQuiston's successor. The position pays $315 a month.

The City Council yesterday appointed Councilmen Sparks, Mushet and Allan members of a committee to prepare resolutions of condolence to be adopted on the death of Mr. McQuiston.

POSTPONE CHRISTMAS SHOW.

The Christmas entertainment to be given by the Y.M.C.A. for the Sons of America has been postponed until Wednesday evening, December 28. The dormitory men will be the hosts. Movies, fencing, wrestling, various stunts and a big tree with candy and gifts will be features. The entertainment will be staged in the auditorium of the central building, 715 South Hope street.

CITY'S TRAFFIC TO BE STUDIED.

Force of Men to Check Up Data to be Used for Future Guidance.

Chief Engineer Osborne of the Board of Public Pitilities was given an appropriation of $500 by the City Council yesterday to employ fifty men to make a check of pedestrian and vehicular traffic in the city. One hundred and twenty men will make the survey, the additional men to be furnished by the Automobile Club of Southern California. The work will start as soon as the storm ceases and will continue for several days. At the same time, airplane photographs will be taken of an area of twenty-two square miles in the central part of the city.

After the data have been gathered and placed in concrete form, Chief Engineer Osborne will announce the date of a conference to be attended by representatives of all organizations interested in improving traffic conditions here, at which it is hoped by Chief Engineer Osborne a step-by-step program will be worked out to give traffic relief immediately and for the next fifteen years.

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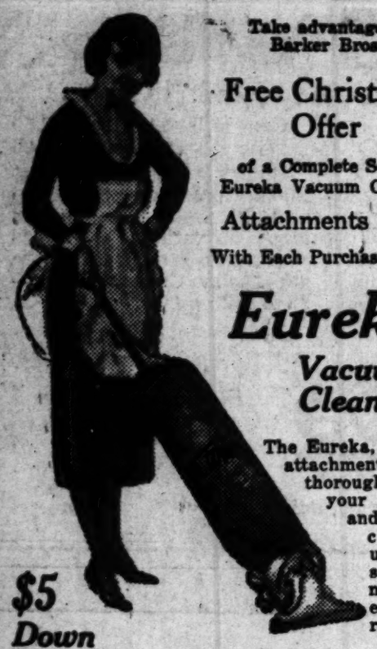

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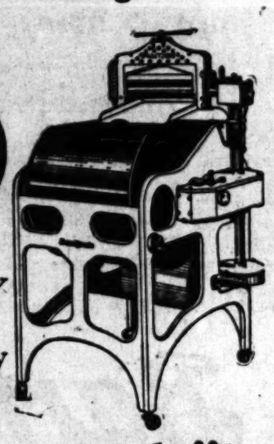

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